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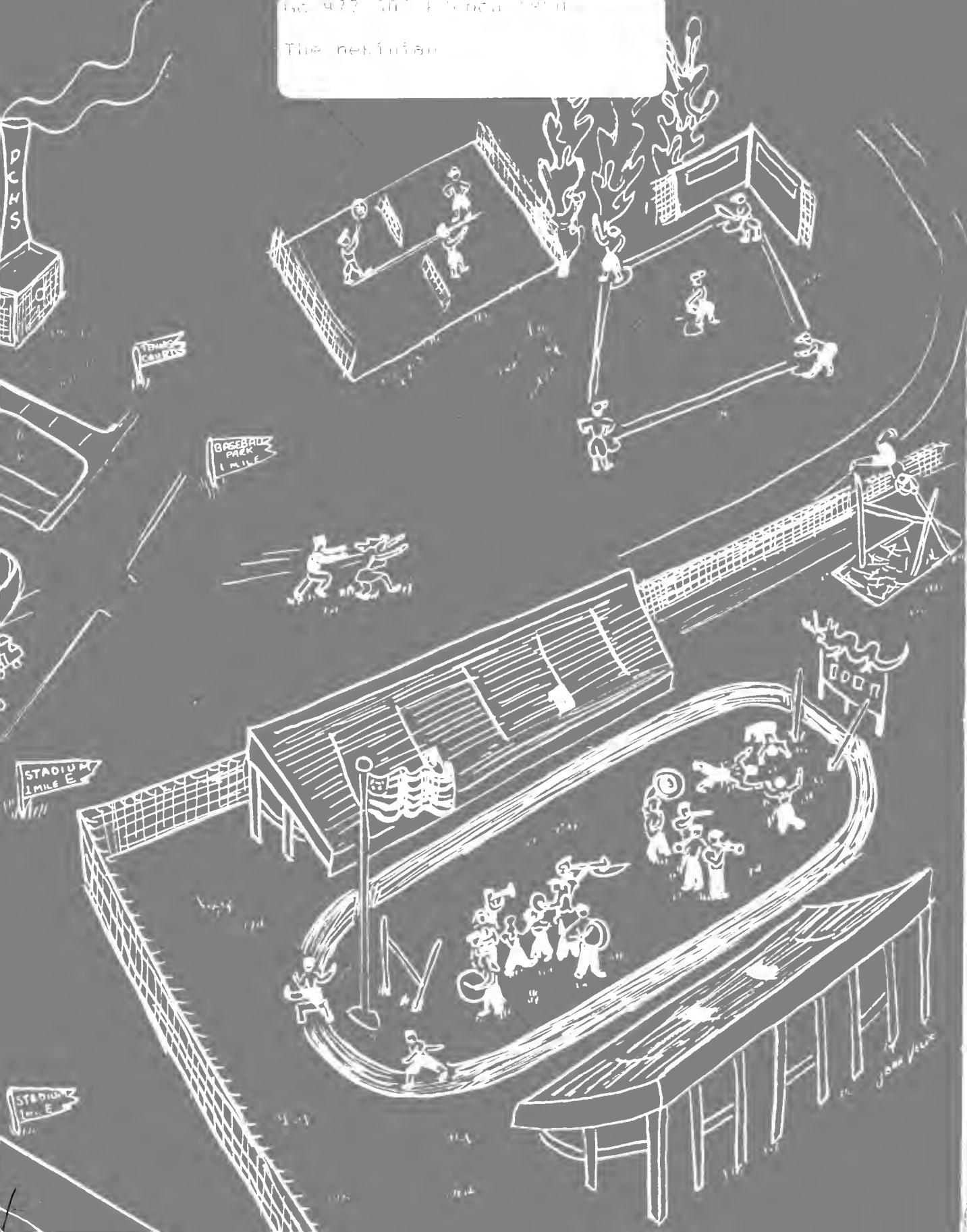


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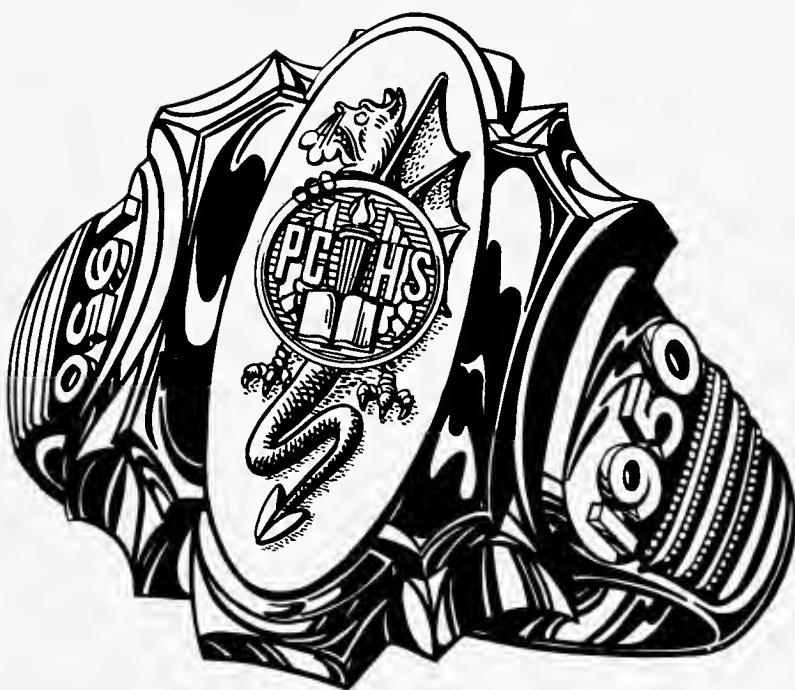
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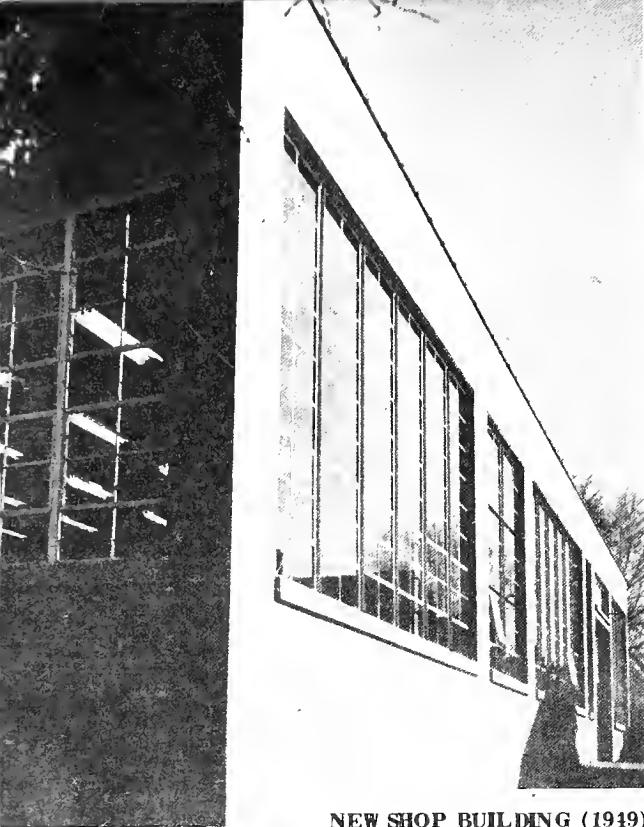




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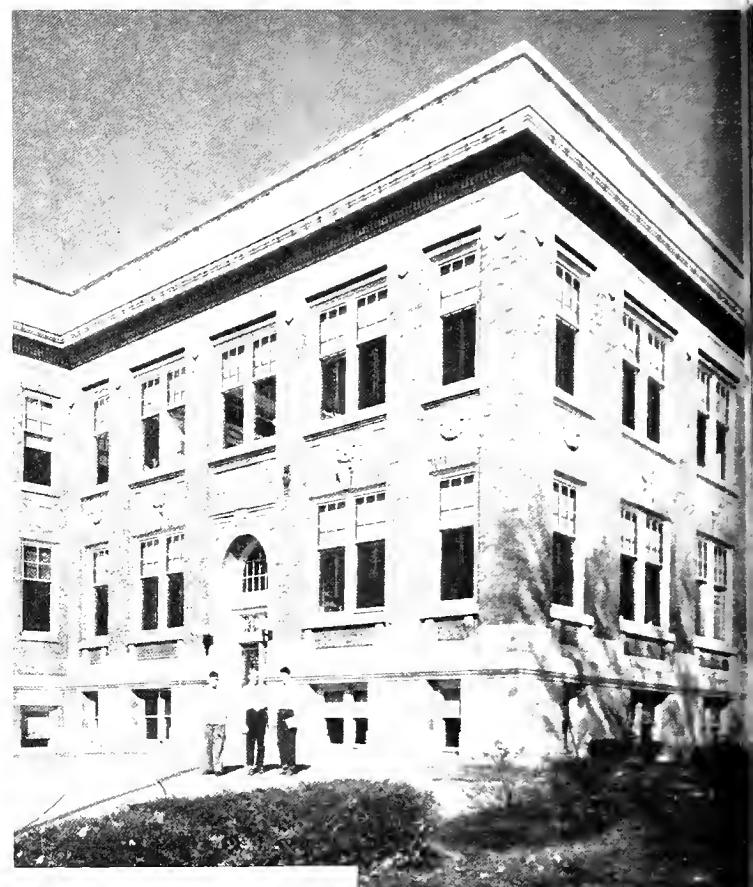
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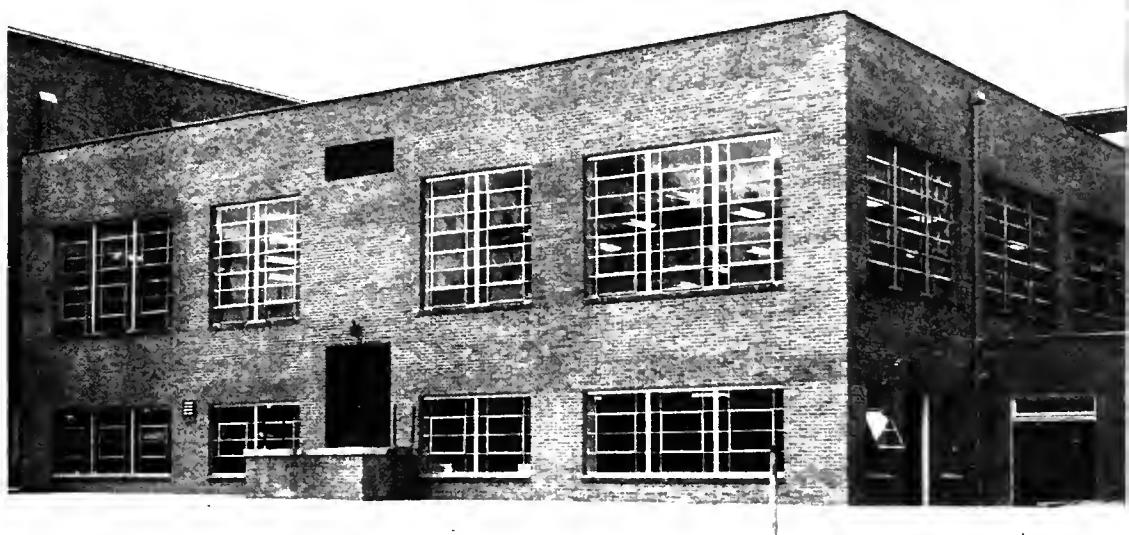
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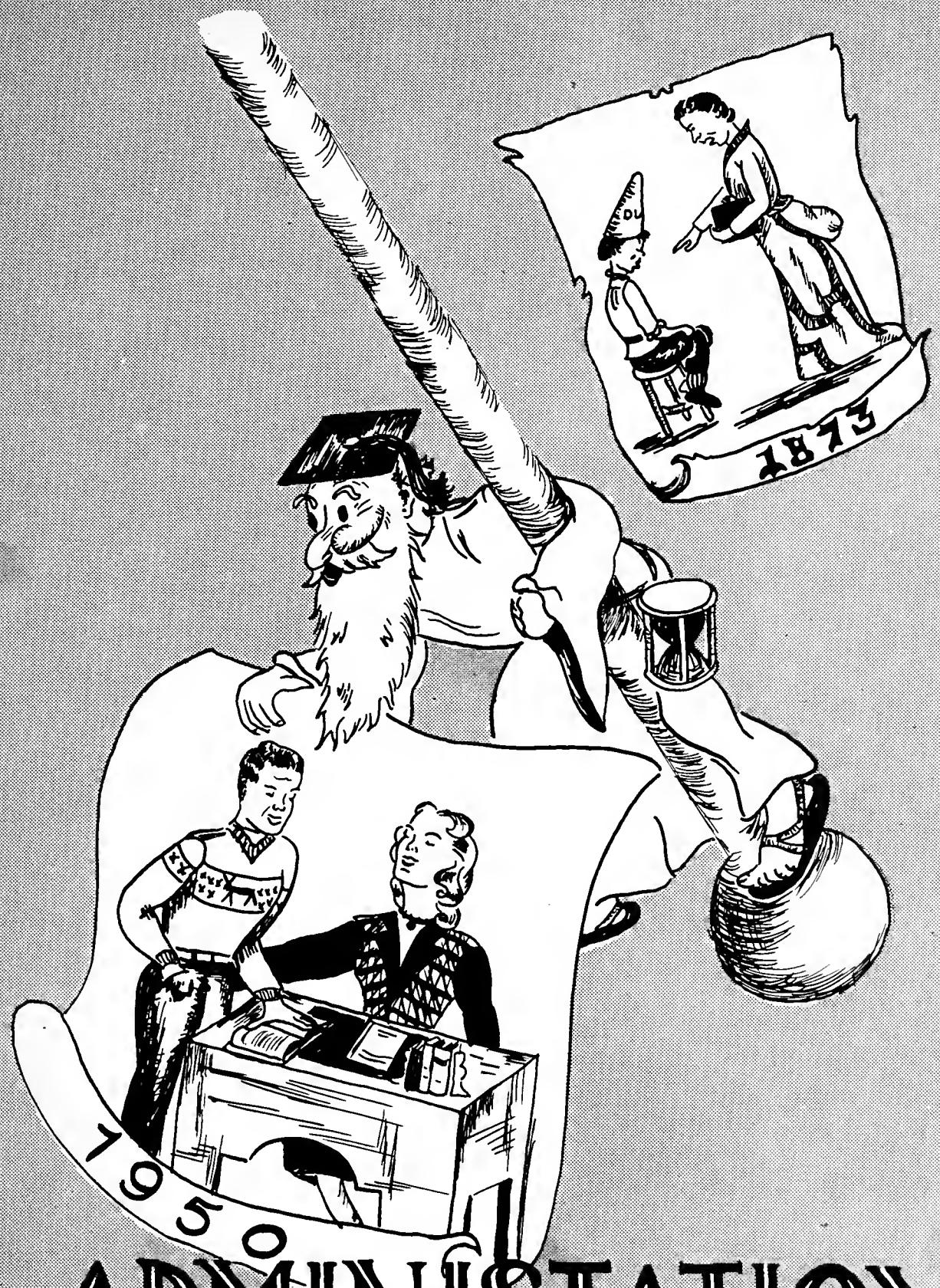
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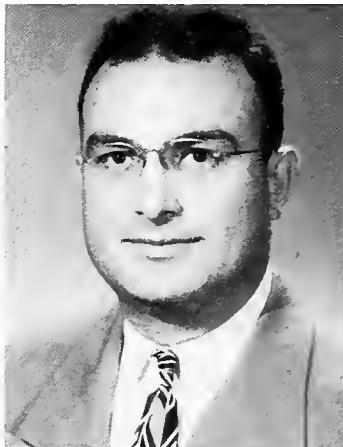


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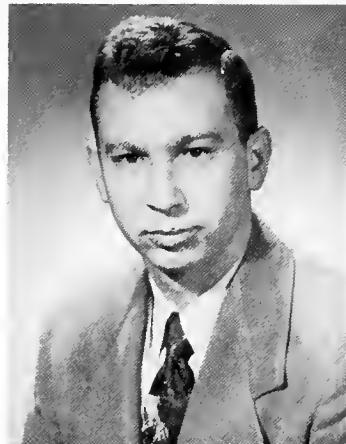
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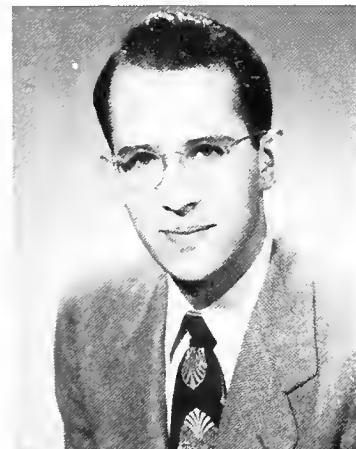


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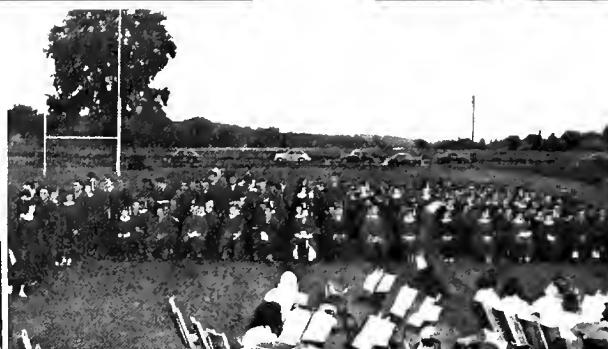
"SING YE ALL NOEL"



PATRICK HENRY, JR.



MEN, WOMEN,
AND SONG.



SMILES OF
SATISFACTION.

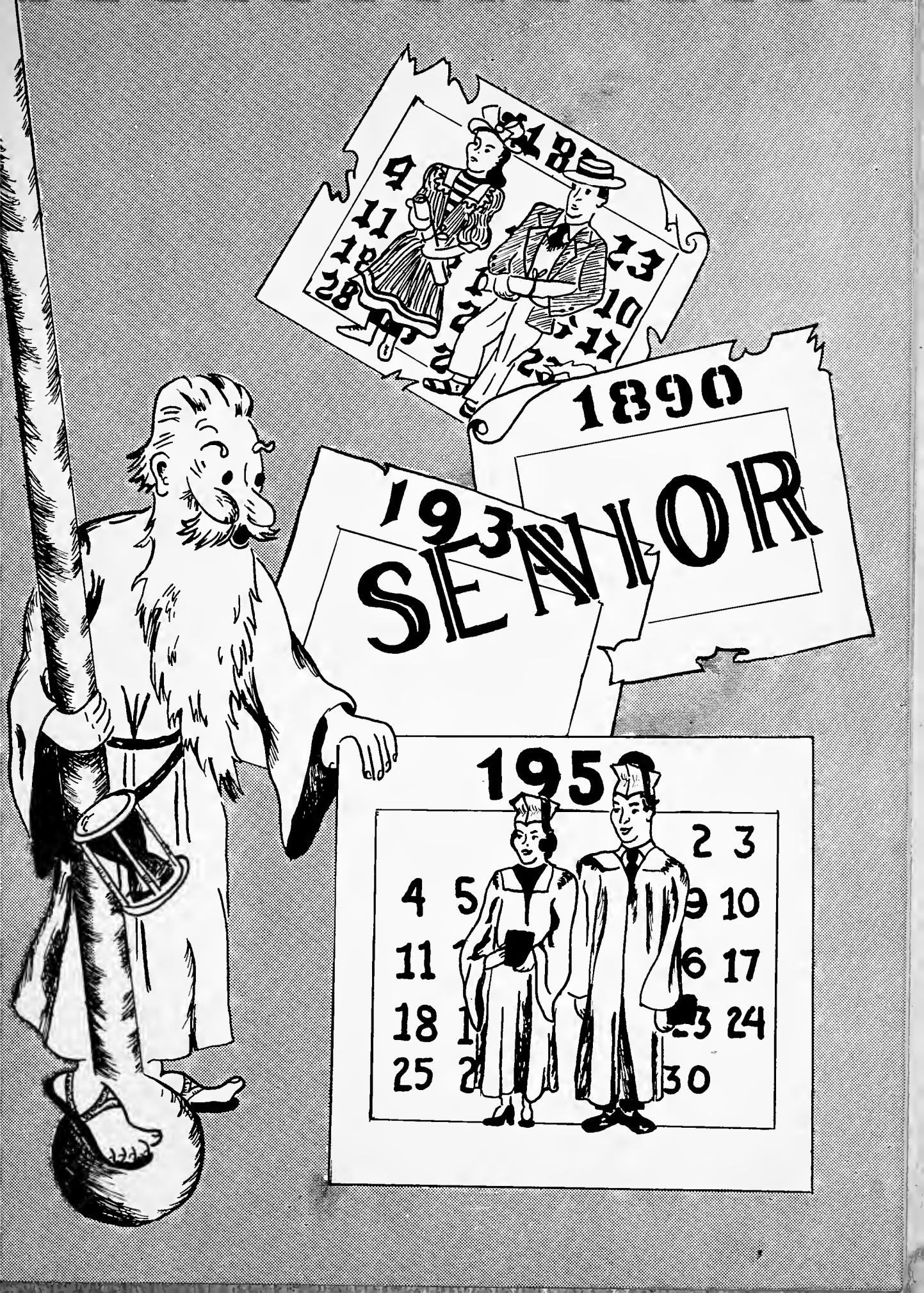


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PEP PARADE.







ALBRECHT, JACK
Band; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir; Dance Band; Football 1, 2, 3, 4*; Wrestling, 3*, Bigger boys TACKLE bigger things.



ANDRAE, FRED
Hot Stove League
"I say--does your motor need over-hauling?"



ANTONIO, JOHN
Friday Sing; Hobbies; Hot Stove League; Wrestling 1, 2, 4; Cross Country
Try to get out of that clinch, John.



ARNOLD, ROSEMARY
"Tom Sawyer"; GAA; Girls' Club; Austria Club; Handcraft; Tap Club
A dashing red-head with personality plus.



ARVEDSON, JANE
Thespians; Quill and Scroll; Pekinois; President of Sophomore B Class; "Mikado"; Vice President of Freshman A Class; A Cappella Choir; Student Council; "Seven Sisters"; "You Can't Take It With You"; Girls' Club; PEKINIAN; Y-Teens; Talent Staff; Les Enfants
A manner ever pleasing.



BAILEY, SHIRLEY
Friday Sing; Co-op Club
Take a letter, Miss Bailey



BAILEY, ROLAND
Student Council; FFA; Les Enfants; Wrestling 2, 3*, 4*
"Spring is here; the grass has riz. I wonder where the wheat crop is!"



BAILEY, TOMMIE
Student Council; Hot Stove League; Football 1, 2; Baseball 1, 3; Cross Country 4
If large he'd be handsome. Being small, he's cute.



BAKER, ELEANOR
Quill and Scroll; Pekinois; A Cappella
Choir; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; "Mi-
kado"; Y-Teens; Co-op Club.
Friendship with her is quite worth while.



BARNES, RUBY
Fellowship Club; D.E. Club
Still waters run deep.



BASCO, MARGARET
GAA; Girls' Club; Tap Club
O'er rough and smooth she goes and
never looks behind.



BAYLES, JANET
Secretary-Treasurer of Junior B Class;
A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Austria
Club; "Mikado"; FTA; Y-Teens; FHA
A sweeter girl couldn't possibly be;
she'll always be found in our best
memories.



BECK, JOHN
FFA
"Well, Pa, gotta get the cows in."



BEEBE, JAMES
Band; Orchestra; Dance Band; Friday
Sing; Hot Stove League
Rhythm Man with a drumstick in his hand.



BEHRENDTS, RAMON
Thespians; Pekinois; "Seven Sisters";
"You Can't Take It With You"; "Tom
Sawyer"; "Mikado"; Variety Show '47;
Band; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir;
Photography Club; Boys' Club; Les En-
fants; Friday Sing
"I never think of the future; it comes
soon enough."



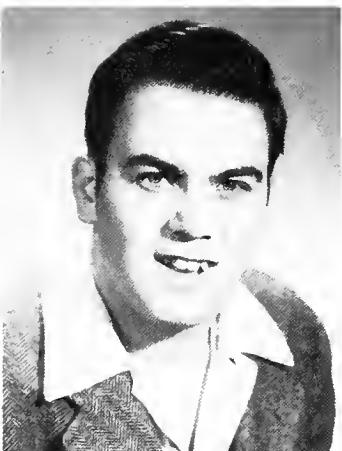
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A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Friday
Sing; "Mikado"; Y-Teens; FHA
"When I drive -- A giggle, a dash, a shriek,
and a crash."



BENJAMIN, CHARLENE
Y-Teens; Girls' Club; Friday Sing
"I'll laugh myself to death."



BERCHTOLD, GLENN
Movie Operator
"Prove to me that the world is round."



BETSON, DONALD
"The less one learns, the less there is to forget."



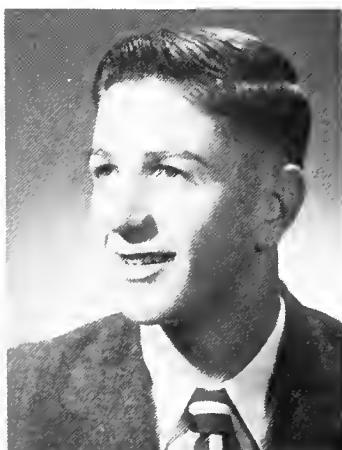
BLAIR, MARLENE
"Tom Sawyer"; A Cappella Choir;
"Mikado"; Auditorium Usher; Y-Teens;
FHA
She DRAWS your heart.



BOLLER, JOANNA LEE
Thespians; Quill and Scroll; Pekinois;
President of Freshman A Class; Secretary-Treasurer of Sophomore A Class;
"You Can't Take It With You"; "Seven Sisters";
Student Council; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club; FTA; Y-Teens;
Talent Staff; Les Enfants
A future teacher she will be -- this our girl, J. B.



BOND, BEVERLY
GAA; Friday Sing; Auditorium Usher
The BOND of friendship.



BOZARTH, JEROLD
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League; Debate
"One cannot know everything."



BRADY, JAMES
President of Freshman B Class; Hot Stove League; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Diamond Jim will always shine.

**BRECHER, JAMES**

Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "I Remember Mama"; "Tom Sawyer"; Variety Show '47, '49; Band; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir; Boys' Club; Les Enfants; Hot Stove League; Football 1, 2; Boys' Quartet

When it comes to art and the ladies, his technique is perfect.

**BUSH, BEVERLY RAE**

GAA; Friday Sing; Tap; Y-Teens
There's mischief in her eye,
Even though she is a little shy.

**CAKORA, MARILYN**

Band; Orchestra; GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Fellowship Club; Co-op Club
She makes the best of everything.

**CALDWELL, BARBARA**

Pekinois; A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club;
Friday Sing
Much mirth and no madness,
All good and no badness.

**CALLAWAY, ROLAND**

A Cappella Choir; Friday Sing
"Would that I might live at ease, and not
be bound to think."

**CAMM, JOAN**

A Capella Choir; Student Council; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; Auditorium Usher; Y-Teens; "You Can't Take It With You"; Variety Show '49.
"Tennis is my favorite sport, because--"

**CAMPEN, JOANNE**

Quill and Scroll; Pekinois; Secretary-Treasurer of Senior Class; Band; Orchestra; Dance Band; Student Council; Friday Sing; Y-Teens; Co-op Club
Which twin has Toni?

**CAMPEN, JOYCE**

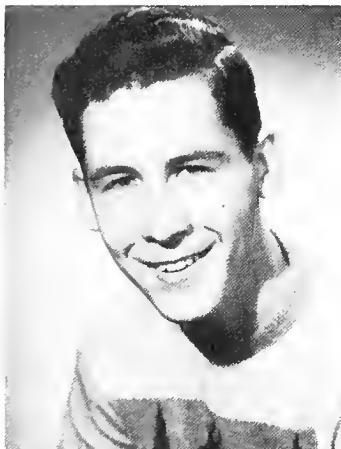
Band; Friday Sing; Y-Teens; Co-op Club;
Talent Staff
Do you?



CARR, LOUISE
Friday Sing; FHA
Cute n'sweet and hard to beat.



CARTER, CHARLES
Photography Club; Hot Stove League
Not sad, just quiet



CARTER, JACK
President of Senior B Class; "Tom Sawyer"; "Mikado"; Variety Show '49; A Cappella Choir; Student Council; National Honor Society; Friday Sing; Boys' Club; Cheerleader
FRANKIE! And he's got a car too!



CHRISTIE, MARILYN
Girls' Club; Austria Club; Fellowship Club; D.E. Club
"Rave on, mad world, I care not!"



CHURCH, NILENE
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club; Y-Teens
Complexion so fair, it blends with her hair.



CLATON, DELORES
Friday Sing
"Hitch your wagon to a star;
Keep your seat, and there you are."



CLATON, MARILYN
Tiny, but she'd never go unnoticed.



CODY, COLLEEN
Thespians; Quill and Scroll; Pekinois; "Seven Sisters"; "I Remember Mama"; "Tom Sawyer"; "Mikado"; A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Athletic Usher; Auditorium Usher; Y-Teens; Talent Staff; Les Enfants; Melody Maids; Variety Show '49
Petite fashion plate always so gay;
Dark-haired Colleen is noted okay.



COOK, LEE
 Variety Show '47; Band; Orchestra;
 Dance Band; Photography Club; Boys'
 Club
 "Pass the drumsticks, please."



COOK, MARILYN
 A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Friday
 Sing; Austria Club; Handcraft; Tap Club;
 "Mikado"; Auditorium Usher; Co-op Club
 Lookie! Lookie! Here comes Cookie!



CORDTS, JOYCE
 Vice-President of Junior A Class; Student
 Council; Girls' Club; "You Can't
 Take It With You"; National Honor Society;
 Friday Sing; Tap Club; Auditorium Usher
 An ounce of wisdom is worth a pound of
 wit.



COVINGTON, DOUGLAS
 Friday Sing; Hot Stove League
 He's got a nice altitude.



COWSER, WARREN
 Hot Stove League
 "This way please--aisle to your right."



CRAWFORD, HELEN
 A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; "Mikado";
 FTA; Y-Teens; FHA
 Her blush is modesty, not guilt.



DALE, JOHN
 Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "Tom
 Sawyer"; "Mikado"; Variety Show '47, '49;
 Band; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir; Student
 Council; Friday Sing; Boys' Club;
 Talent Staff; Les Enfants; Treasurer of
 Senior A Class; P.A. Operator 2, 3, 4;
 National Forensic League
 They gazed and gazed, and still the
 wonder grew,
 That one small head could carry all he
 knew.



DEBOER, DONNA
 "Seven Sisters"; "Tom Sawyer"; Band;
 Orchestra; Student Council; Girls' Club;
 Austria Club; Tap Club; Auditorium Usher;
 Y-Teens.
 "Happy am I; from care I'm free. Why
 can't you all be as happy as me?"



DEROS, IRENE
Y-Teens; "You Can't Take It With You"
It's nice to be natural when you're naturally nice.



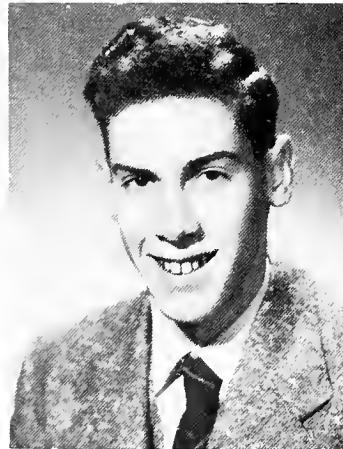
DOURNEEN, MAUREEN
Friday Sing; Handcraft
Saints be praised--for sure 'tis the Irish.



DRURY, BILL
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League
It's not dreary, it's DRURY!



DUCKETT, LEROY
Friday Sing
'Oh, this learning, what a thing it is!"



EHRETT, JACK
Movie Operator; Boys' Club; Hot Stove League; Baseball I
When duty whispers low, "Thou must!"
Jack replies, "Huh?"



EHRETT, JOYCE
President of Freshman B Class; Variety Show '47, '49; Dance Band; Girls' Club; Tap Club; "Robin Hood"; "Mikado"; Cheer Leader; Y-Teens; Talent Staff
'Gather ye rosebuds while ye may.'



EICHER, JERRY
President of Sophomore A Class; Secretary-Treasurer of Junior A Class; Band; A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Hobbies; Athletic Usher; Hot Stove League; Track I; "Seven Sisters"
"Give me my boots and my saddle."



ELLIOTT, JOAN
A Cappella Choir; GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; "Mikado"; Y-Teens
"Work fascinates me. I could watch it for hours."



ERTMOED, ERNEST
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League; Co-op Club
The importance of being EARNEST.



FAHNDERS, JESSE
Pekinois; "Tom Sawyer"; Student Council; Photography Club; Boys' Club; Les Enfants
"Eat, drink, and be merry."



FEAREY, BEVERLY
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Co-op Club
A happy smile, a pretty face;
You'll find her friends every-place.



FISCHER, GENE
Hobbies; Hot Stove League; Co-op Club
His ideas come in SCHOOLS.



FISCHER, RUSSELL
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League
Made of hidden abilities.



FORNOFF, MARY LOU
Band; Orchestra; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Y-Teens; Co-op Club
Words can't describe her; she's simply herself.



FORNOFF, ROBERT D.
"Half a loaf is better than no chance to loaf at all."



FRAMPTON, DORIS
Friday Sing; Y-Teens; FHA; A Cappella Choir
Sharp as her sewing needle.



FREEMAN, FREDA
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Y-Teens; D.E.
Club
"A job, a man -- I've done the best I
can!"



FRIEDRICH, ROBERT
FFA
Country gentleman



FRIGARD, TED
"Tom Sawyer"; A Cappella Choir; "You
Can't Take It With You"; Friday Sing;
Hot Stove League; Football 2; Wrestling
2*, 3*; Golf 1, 2*, 3*, 4*
With golf and the ladies, his technique
is superb. This fits him to a TEE.



FULK, LEROY
Thespians; "Tom Sawyer"; "Mikado";
Variety Show '47, '49; A Cappella Choir;
Friday Sing; Auditorium Usher; Boys'
Club; Hot Stove League.
Pekin's own Dick Contino!



GANSON, BOB
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League
"We have Strawberry, Chocolate, Vanilla --"



GARBER, MARILYN
GAA; Tap Club; Y-Teens
Her voice was ever soft and low,
An excellent thing in a woman.



GARDINER, DONNA
GAA; Friday Sing
Silence is her golden asset.



GEBHARDT, LOUISE
Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "Mikado";
Variety Show '49; A Cappella Choir;
Melody Maids; Student Council; Girls'
Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club; PEKIN-
IAN; Y-Teens; Talent Staff; Les Enfants
A party is bound to hop when "Bunny's"
there.



GIBSON, ROBERT

Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "Tom Sawyer"; Variety Show '47, '49; Student Council; Friday Sing; Austria Club; Photography Club; Boys' Club; Talent Staff; Tennis 2, 3*, 4*; National Forensic League; "You Can't Take It With You" What a racquet he's got!



GLASFORD, JANE

Friday Sing; Handcraft; Tap Club; Auditorium Usher
Sparkling Jane snaps with fun;
Pretty, peppy, she's all in one.



GOSNELL, JUANITA

A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; "Mikado"; Talent Staff; Fellowship Club; Co-op Club
Tiny but mighty.



GOSS, ROBERT

Secretary-Treasurer of Junior Class;
Student Council; Hot Stove League; D.E. Club
Keeper of the Dragon's Den.



GRANDIA, GLORIA

"Seven Sisters"; "Mikado"; A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; Y-Teens
To the man who marries her: "There's a Ford in your future."



GRANDIA, LUTHER D.

Hot Stove League; D.E. Club; Football 1, 2, 3
"Life is just a vicious circle."



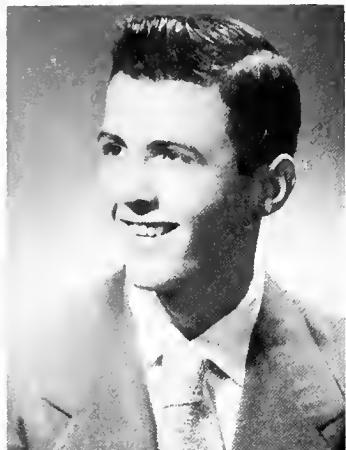
GRAY, LINDA ANN

Pekinois; President of Sophomore A Class; Band; Orchestra; Student Council; Girls' Club; Fellowship Club
Wisdom is knowing what to do next--
virtue is doing it.

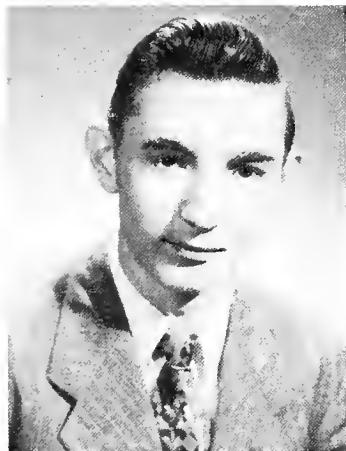


GUENGERICH, RONALD

Band; Orchestra; Friday Sing; Les Enfants; Hot Stove League; Basketball 1, 2;
Boys' Club; Dance Band; Pekinois
"Flash! Just got a scoop."



GUILE, DON
Student Council; Boys' Club; Hot Stove League; Football 2; Track 2, 3, 4*; Wrestling 2*, 3*; "You Can't Take It With You"
His cares are now all ended.



HAILEY, MARJORIE
GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; Auditorium Usher; Co-op Club
She'll make her patient's temperature rise.



HALL, LINDY
Friday Sing
Too bad, girls! He's already taken.



HALLER, WILLIAM
Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "Tom Sawyer"; A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Movie Operator; Friday Sing; "Mikado"; Boys' Club; Hot Stove League; Variety Show '49; President of Senior A Class
A genuine genius on the stage.



HANCOCK, WILDA
PEKINIAN; Y-Teens; Co-op Club
A good heart's worth gold.



HARMS, BONNIE
Secretary-Treasurer of Sophomore B Class; Friday Sing; Tap Club; Y-Teens; FHA
"Pardon my Southern Accent; I hail from South Pekin."



HARVEY, WILMA
GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; Y-Teens; "You Can't Take It With You"
"There are just some things that puzzle me!"



HAWKINS, DONNA
A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; "Mikado"; Fellowship Club
Always eager to make new friends.



HECKER, ROBERT

Variety Show '47; Student Council; "You Can't Take It With You"; Friday Sing; PEKINIAN; Boys' Club; Hot Stove League; Football 1, 2; Tennis 1, 2, 3*, 4*

"Worry little; study less. My idea of happiness.



HEIKEN, MARY

Majorette; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; "You Can't Take It With You"
"Some may laugh and some may talk; but I'll do both forever."



HEILMAN, JACQUELINE

GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; Talent Staff; Y-Teens
Sweet and lovely; a friend to everyone.



HEIM, ROGER

Variety Show '47, '49; Band; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir; Dance Band; Student Council; Friday Sing; "I Remember Mama"; "Robin Hood"; "Papa Is All"; "Mikado"; Athletic Usher; Boys' Club; Basketball 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4*; Tennis 1; Golf 2; Varsity Club; PEKINIAN; National Forensic League; Lettermen's Club; Hot Stove League

Cock Robin was always in everything---head first!



HEITZMAN, NOLAN

Friday Sing
He knows most that speaketh least.



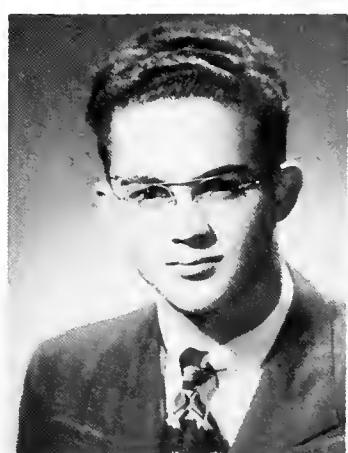
HELLMERS, LAWRENCE

Variety Show '47; A Cappella Choir; Friday Sing; Austria Club; "Mikado"
"God bless the man who invented sleep."



HELMIG, MARILYN

Band; Friday Sing; Tap Club; Y-Teens
In the golden chain of friendship, regard her as a link.



HERCHENRODER, DON

Band; FFA; Wrestling 1
O'er half the page, his name he prints.



HICKS, BETTY
"Seven Sisters"; Friday Sing; "You Can't Take It With You"
If you don't think Einstein knows, ask Betty.



HINTZ, DORIS
Tap Club
Her modest answer and graceful air
Show her wise and good as she is fair.



HODGSON, JERRY
Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "Tom Sawyer"; Variety Show '49; A Cappella Choir; Friday Sing; Boys' Club; Hot Stove League; Football 2
He's done queer things during his school daze.



HOFF, YVONNE
Girls' Club; Tap Club; Les Enfants; Secretary-Treasurer of Freshman B Class
Small and neat; winsome and sweet.



HOFFMAN, CAROLYN
Thespians; "I Remember Mama"; "Tom Sawyer"; "Mikado"; Variety Show '47, '49; "You Can't Take It With You"; Band; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club; FTA; Talent Staff; Les Enfants; Melody Maids
When she sings, the world listens.



HOLLAND, MARILYN
Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "I Remember Mama"; "Tom Sawyer"; "Mikado"; Y-Teens; Variety Show '49; Melody Maids; Student Council; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club; A Cappella Choir
She has a million dollars--in her smile.



HOLT, CARMEN
President of Freshman A Class; A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club; Tap Club; Melody Maids; Variety Show '49
"Oh, for the gift of gab."



HOOVER, BERNADINE
"Tom Sawyer"; "Mikado"; A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Friday Sing; Austria Club; Handcraft; FTA; Y-Teens; School Treasurer; Co-op Club
"Say, this check bounces!!!"



HORTON, ARLENE
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club;
Y-Teens; Co-op Club
Wit and Widsom are born with a woman.



HUNDT, MARILOU
Girls' Club; Y-Teens; Les Enfants;
Co-op Club
She's got that Y-Teen spirit--pep and go.



HYATT,ILA
Friday Sing; Handcraft
Never bold and always busy



HYATT, MILDRED
A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Friday
Sing; Tap Club; "Mikado"; Y-Teens;
Co-op Club
In faith, lady, you have a merry heart.



JAMES, DOROTHY
A Cappella Choir; Student Council; GAA;
Girls' Club; Austria Club; Tap Club;
"Mikado"; FTA; Y-Teens; Talent Staff;
Variety Show '49.
"These men make me so nervous."
Joke, son!!



JENNINGS, JEANETTE
Friday Sing; Tap Club
Nothing is impossible to a willing heart.



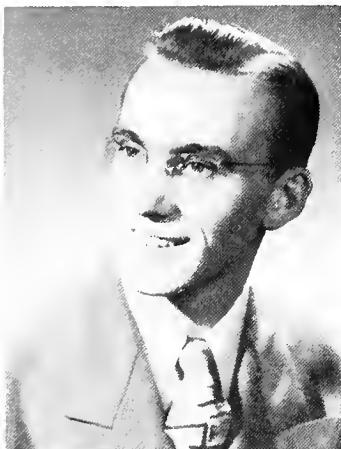
JUCHEMS, RAYMOND
Hobbies
Gentle of spe ech, but absolute of rule.



KEEN, DORIS
Who counts her as a friend is rich indeed.



KELLER, GERALDINE
Student Council; Girls' Club; Tap Club
Friendship is the most valuable of all
human possessions.



KESSLER, MARJORIE
Thespians; President of Junior A Class;
President of Sophomore A Class; Variety
Show '49; "I Remember Mama"; "Seven
Sisters"; A Cappella Choir; President of
Student Council; Girls' Club; Friday Sing;
Austria Club; "Mikado"; FTA; Y-Teens;
Talent Staff; Les Enfants; National
Forensic League
She spoke, then ceased, and the crowd
approved her words.



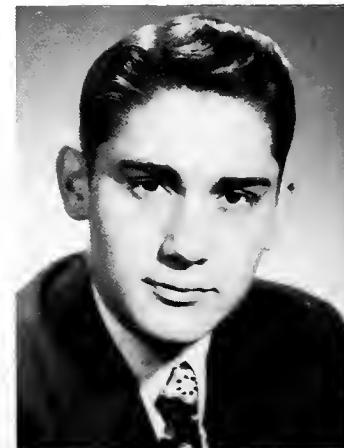
KING, DICK
Hobbies; Hot Stove League
Not Queen, but King!



KING, JIM
President of Junior A Class; Vice-President
of Senior B Class; Secretary-Treasurer
of Junior B Class; Student Council;
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League; Football
1, 2, 3; Track 2; Baseball 3*, 4*; Boys'
Club; "You Can't Take It With You"
Holy cow, Gabby! Look what King's doin'
for the Cardinals!



KLUEVER, NORMA
GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Auditorium
Usher
"Wave one; curl two. You, too, can be a
beautician."



LANE, MARGIE
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Handcraft;
Co-op Club
True politeness is everywhere the same.

LAUMEIER, EARL
Hobbies; D. E. Club
He's a man of words, not deeds.



LEIFHEIT, SHIRLEY
Band; Orchestra; Student Council; Friday Sing; Austria Club; Y-Teens
Not only in steno and typing does she excel,
But in personality and character as well.



LEIFHEIT, SPENCER
Thespians; Variety Show '47, '49; Band; Orchestra; Dance Band; Student Council; Friday Sing; Boys' Club
Just trumpeting along.



LEONARD, BERTHA
Y-Teens; Fellowship Club; Student Council; "You Can't Take It With You"
Good things come in small packages.



LITZ, JEAN
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; Y-Teens
"I am as ambitious as Caesar, but I haven't the chance."



LOHNES, EUGENE
"Tom Sawyer"; Band; A Cappella Choir; Friday Sing; Talent Staff; Les Enfants
'Tis the good reader that makes the good book.



LOWER, RICHARD
President of Freshman A Class; Vice President of Freshman B Class; Student Council; Boys' Club; Hot Stove League; Football 1, 2, 3*, 4*; Wrestling 1; Baseball 1
Dirty Dan rides again.



MARTIN, ESTELLA
Friday Sing; Handcraft; D.E. Club
"Life is a jest; Laughter is best."



MARTIN, KENNETH
Movie Operator
Blessed are the joy makers.



MATTHEW, SONDRA
"Tom Sawyer"; "Mikado"; Variety Show '47, '49; A Cappella Choir; Dance Band; Student Council; Girls' Club; PEKINIAN; Auditorium Usher; Y-Teens "Give me a keyboard--and a test tube."



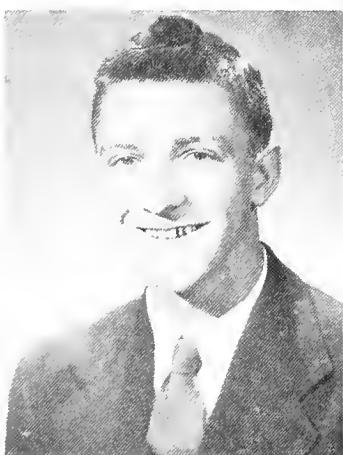
MATTHEWS, RUDY
Friday Sing; Track 1
"If there is a joke to be told, I'll tell it."



MC CORD, NANCY LEE
Girls' Club; Austria Club; "Mikado"; FTA; Y-Teens; A Cappella Choir
An outburst of silence.



MC MULLEN, DARLENE
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Auditorium Usher; Y-Teens; Co-op Club
A pretty girl is always in demand.



MEADS, JACK
Movie Operator; D.E. Club
"I will sit down now, but the time will come when you'll hear from me."



MERRITT, ROBERT
FFA
MERIT shall not go unrewarded.



MERTENS, DELORES
Friday Sing; Auditorium Usher; Y-Teens; Co-op Club
Hi, Blondie!



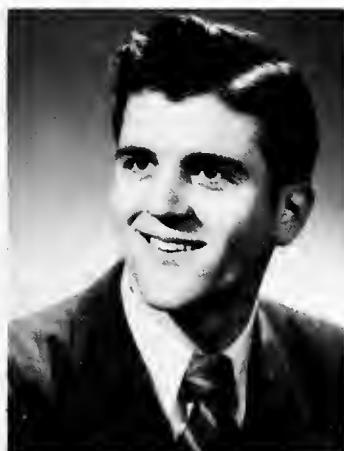
MEYER, FREDERICK
Band; Student Council; National Honor Society; Friday Sing; Austria Club; FTA; Hot Stove League; D.E.
"Girls? Bah!"



MILLER, JANET
A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club
Five foot-two; eyes of blue—



MINGORI, JOHN
Football 2, 3*, 4*
As in football, John could GUARD anything.



MINOFF, JOHN
Friday Sing
He is always the right man at the right place.



MINOFF, STEVE
Friday Sing
Silence is his password.



MORLEY, RUTH
Band; Orchestra; Dance Band; GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club; Y-Teens; Les Enfants
"I speak in a monstrous little voice."



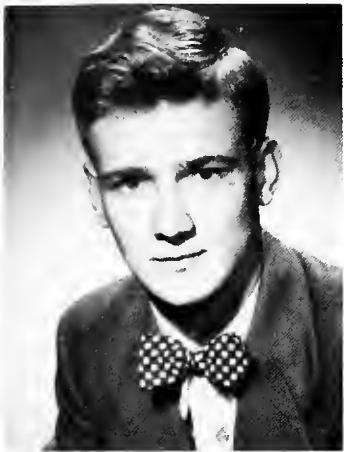
MORSCH, LOUIE
Friday Sing; Hobbies
He speaks to all with a fast easy drawl.



NOARD, JOYCE ANN
A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Austria Club; "Mikado"; Y-Teens; FHA; Variety Show '49
She goes through life with a laugh and a smile;
May she do so for a long long while.



OBERLE, ARTHUR
A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Boys' Club; Football 1, 2, 3*, 4*, Track 2, 3, 4*
In football he puts an END to all things.



OBERLE, PAUL
Movie operator; FFA; Photography Club
"I am not in the roll of common men."



PETSKA, NELDA
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Co-op Club
"Let the world slip! We shall ne'er be
younger."



PLOTNER, VAL JEAN
Secretary-Treasurer of Senior B Class;
Variety Show '47, '49; Majorette; A
Cappella Choir; Student Council; Girls'
Club; Austria Club; Tap Club; "Mikado";
Cheer Leader; Y-Teens; FTA; Rockettes
A rocket in the Rockette rhythm.



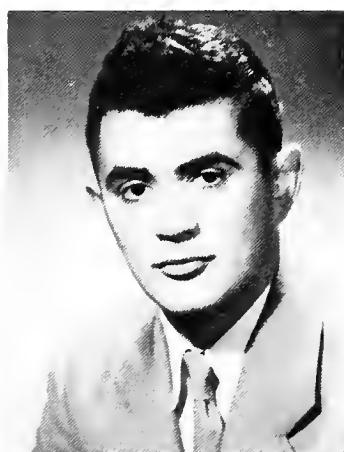
POLLMAN, HARRY
Hot Stove League; Basketball 1, 2, 3*, 4*;
Football 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 4*
At basketball he is a whiz----
One of those State Tournament kids.



PORCH, PAUL
Vice-President of Senior Class;
"Tom Sawyer"; Variety Show '47, '49;
A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Fri-
day Sing; Austria Club; "Robin Hood";
"Mikado"; Boys' Club; Hot Stove League;
"You Can't Take It With You"
"Howdy, Pardner. I'll give ya three to
draw yer gun. One--you lose!"



POTTS, PHYLLIS
A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Y-Teens
"Mikado"
To all, her smile is extended;
Not one by her is offended.



PROEHL, GUS
A Cappella Choir; Friday Sing; "Mikado";
"Robin Hood"
"Onward, onward, oh time in thy flight,
And make the bell ring before I recite."



QUEVY, DEAN
Friday Sing; Band; Hobbies; Boys' Club;
Hot Stove League
He has just as much noise as his fire-
crackers on the 4th.



RAMSEY, JACK
Wrestling 2*, 3*, 4*
Master of the bone-crushers



RAPP, GEORGE
Friday Sing; FFA
He is best who thinks much, speaks
little.



RAU, CHARLOTTE
Quill and Scroll; Pekinois; "Seven
Sisters"; "Tom Sawyer"; A Cappella
Choir; Student Council; Girls' Club;
Friday Sing; PEKINIAN; "Mikado";
Athletic Usher; FTA; Y-Teens; Talent
Staff; Les Enfants
If silence were golden, she would be
bankrupt.



REARDON, SHARON
GAA; Austria Club
"O.K. girls, let's play ball."



REED, MARTHA
Pekinois; Girls' Club; Friday Sing;
Austria Club; D.E. Club
The extent of her vocabulary- "J.C."



RICHMOND, JEAN
Thespians; Quill and Scroll; Pekinois;
"Seven Sisters"; "I Remember Mama";
"Tom Sawyer"; A Cappella Choir; Melody
Maids; Student Council; Girls' Club;
Austria Club; PEKINIAN; "Robin Hood";
Auditorium Usher; CheerLeader; Y-Teens;
Talent Staff; Les Enfants; National
Forensic League; Variety Show '49
Memories of the Cherub will never fade,
Because dreams of such stuff are made!



RIEGEL, BILL
Friday Sing
Muscles personified.



RITCHIE, ROBERT
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League
Hi there, Squeaky!!



RIVIERE, DALE
Band; Hobbies; Hot Stove League; D.E.
Club
Carefree--not careless.



RODCAY, LORETTA
Band; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap
Club; Y-Teens
There will never be another as friendly
as she.



ROSE, VIRGINIA
Pekinois; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; FHA;
"You Can't Take It With You"
She is as sweet as her name implies.



ROWELL, ROBERT
A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Fri-
day Sing; Fellowship Club
He tells us he doesn't like girls, but-----



RUSH, ROY
A Cappella Choir; Friday Sing; Track
1, 2
"Don't RUSH me."



RYNERSON, NORMA
Friday Sing; Y-Teens
Her words were shed softer than leaves
from a pine.



SAMMS, DOLORES
GAA; Tap Club
Sparkling with life and joy.



SANDERS, BILL
Pekinois; President of Junior B Class;
Vice-President Sophomore B Class;
Student Council; Photography Club;
PEKINIAN; Boys' Club; Talent Staff;
National Forensic League; Debate; Quill
and Scroll; Variety Show '49
Wee Willie, the Wizard.



SARNES, DARRELL
President of Junior B Class; Student Council; Friday Sing; Austria Club
Courteous driving is one way to win \$5.00.



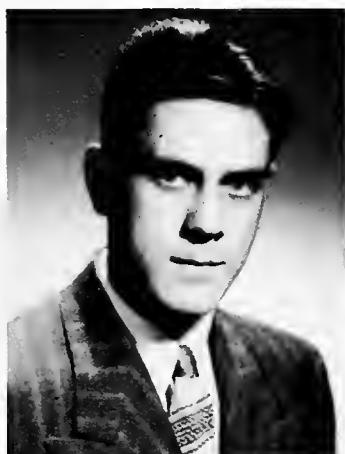
SCHAPPAUGH, DOROTHY
Girls' Club; Austria Club; Fellowship Club; D.E. Club
A woman's heart, like the moon, is always changing; but there's always a man in it.



SCHEELER, BILL
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League; Basketball Mgr. 2, 3, 4*; Football Mgr. 3*, 4*; Track Mgr. 1*, 2*, 3*, 4*
The manager of all managers, Big Bill.



SCHEIDERER, JOAN
Pekinois; A Cappella Choir; GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Tap Club; "Mikado"; Y-Teens
Sweet as apple "Scheiderer."



SCHLEDER, DUANE
FFA
"Aw, shucks!"



SCHMIDT, CHARLENE
Band; Orchestra; GAA; Friday Sing
Is she quiet and demure?
Maybe; don't be too sure.



SCHOENBERGER, CLAIRE
Girls' Club; Library Club
Personality is to this woman what perfume is to a flower.



SCHRAMM, PAUL
Friday Sing; Hobbies; D.E. Club; Track 2, 3
How to win a car in three easy lessons.



SEWARD, JOSEPH W. JR.

"What a Life"; Variety Show '49; A Cappella Choir; Varsity Club; Boys' Club; Boys' Quartette; "Robin Hood"; "Mikado"; Fellowship Club; Football I, 2, 3, 4*; Track I; Wrestling 1; Lettermen's Club

Timid? Not if you know him!



SHERMER, IMOGENE

Variety Show '47; Girls' Club; Tap Club; Co-op Club

"It's better to know useless things than to know nothing."



SIMPSON, JEANETTE

GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Handcraft; Hobbies

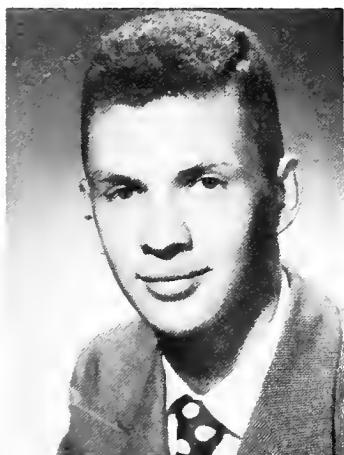
Very sweet and very neat;
To Jeanette, work is hard to beat.



SIMPSON, PETE

Variety Show '47; Band; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir; Dance Band; Student Council; Friday Sing; Boys' Club; FTA; D.E. Club

"They tell me better men have lived, but I doubt it."



SMITH, KENNETH D.

Hot Stove League; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4*; Tennis 3, 4*; Boys' Club

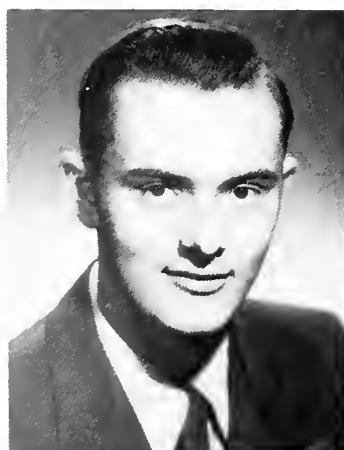
He is so tall, I wonder if Biz was ever little at all.



SMITH, RICHARD F.

Fellowship Club; Football I; Track 2; FFA; Debate

The Patrick Henry of Pekin High.



SMITH, WAYNE

FFA

"Give me an old straw hat and a new tractor!"



SOMMER, ROGER

Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "I Remember Mama"; "Tom Sawyer"; Variety Show '47, '49; Band; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir; Student Council; PEKINIAN; Boys' Club; Talent Staff; Les Enfants; Tennis I, 2, 3 "Friends, Romans, Countrymen; lend me your--nickels."



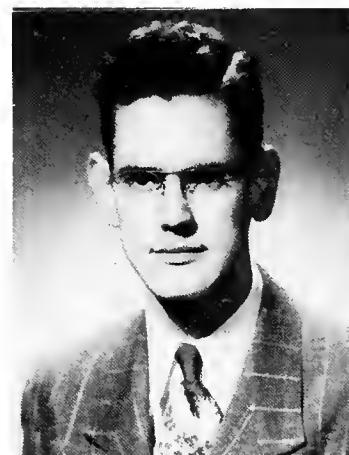
SQUIER, MARION
Variety Show '47; A Cappella Choir;
Melody Maids; Friday Sing; "Mikado";
Y-Teens
One of the melodious melody makers!



STARCEVICH, EUGENE
Friday Sing; Austria Club; Les Enfants;
D.E. Club; Basketball 1; "You Can't
Take It With You"
Some are wise and some are otherwise.



STARCEVICH, FRANK
Hot Stove League
"Have you heard this one?"



STEWART, DALE
Hobbies; Fellowship Club
Men of few words are the best men.



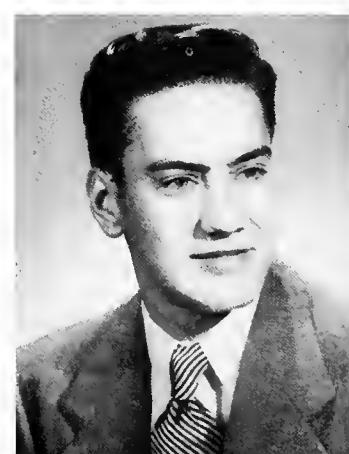
STIEN, JOE
Friday Sing; Athletic Usher; Track 2
A lot of fun, a lot of bluff ---
But oh, his muscles! That's the stuff!



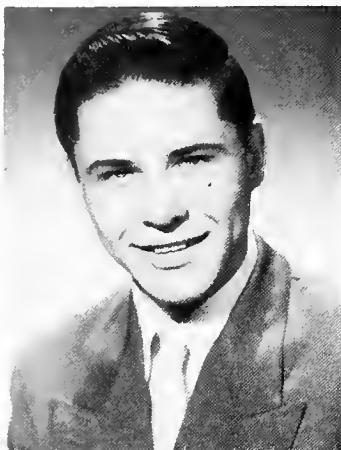
STOLL, JOANNE
A Cappella Choir; Student Council; Girls'
Club; Austria Club; "Mikado"; Auditorium
Usher; Y-Teens
"Now, I'll say something to remember."



SWITZER, LARRY
Hobbies; Hot Stove League
"I've had a good time fooling around
here."



TAYLOR, CALVIN
Friday Sing; Hobbies; Athletic Usher;
Basketball 2, 3
"To cram or not to cram---that is a question."



TAYLOR, RONALD
Movie Operator; Hobbies
"Keep smiling and you'll ne'er frown a bit."



TERRELL, JUNE
GAA; Friday Sing; Tap Club; D.E. Club
It is always well for one to know more
than she says.



THEES, MARILYN
Friday Sing; Y-Teens; Co-op Club
She prefers to be good rather than just
seem so.



TILLMAN, BETTY
GAA; Friday Sing; Fellowship Club; D.E.
Club
True worth can scarcely be measured.



TINDALL, RICHARD
President of Senior Class; Student Council;
Boys' Club; Hot Stove League; Varsity Club;
Football 1, 2*, 3*, 4*; Track
2, 3*; Basketball 1, 2
A blond-haired fellow, always his best;
Pretty swell guy — you know the rest.



TRIMBLE, RONALD
Pekinois; "Seven Sisters"; "Mikado";
Band; A Cappella Choir; Student Council;
Friday Sing; Austria Club; PEKINIAN
EDITOR; Boys' Club; Varsity Show '49
Always willing, working on; lots of spirit;
that's our Ron.



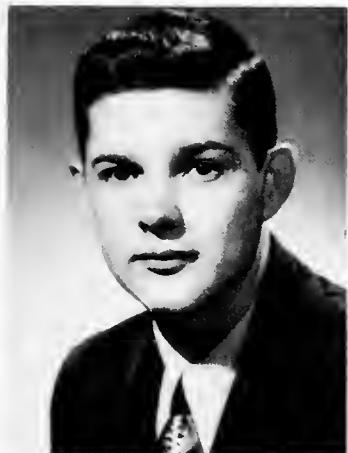
UFHEIL, JOHN
Friday Sing; Photography Club; Boys'
Club; Hot Stove League; Tennis 1, 2
"They just call me Frank Buck; but I'm
after rabbits."



UNDERWOOD, MARY ANN
A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Friday
Sing; Tap Club; PEKINIAN; "Mikado";
D.E. Club; "You Can't Take It With You"
"For Percy sakes alive."



UTECH, WALLACE
Friday Sing; Athletic Usher; Track 2
So great and stately tall,
This is Wallie in the hall.



VANDERWERF, MARVIN
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League
A real ticket cashier if there ever was one.



VEHLOW, BONNIE
A Cappella Choir; Student Council; GAA;
Girls' Club; Austria Club; Tap Club;
PEKINIAN; "Mikado"; Auditorium Usher;
Cheer Leader; FTA; Variety Show '49
Slim, trim, full of vim.



VOEGE, DONNA
Often seen, but seldom heard.

VOIGT, EVELYN
Girls' Club; Y-Teens
"The rest of the world is smiling but I'm
laughing out loud."





WAGLER, GERALD
FFA
This boy doesn't belong to F.F.A. It belongs to him.



WALLACE, JOAN
Band; Orchestra; Y-Teens
A smile and a kind personality that can always be depended upon.



WALTMIRE, NORMA
"Seven Sisters"; Band; A Cappella Choir; Girls' Club; Austria Club; Tap Club; "Mikado"; Y-Teens; Variety Show '49
We will always admire Norma for her Keyboard Capers.



WARNER, NELSON
Variety Show '47, '49; Band; A Cappella Choir; Friday Sing; "Mikado"; Athletic Usher; Boys' Club; Fellowship Club; Football 1, 2, 3, 4*; Track 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2; "You Can't Take It With You"
Look what that "Lucky Old Sun" did for him.



WATSON, WANDA
Girls' Club; Y-Teens
She's fair to see and sweet;
Dainty from her head to her feet.



WEBER, CAROL
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Y-Teens
One is bound to like her.



WHITE, JANE
Band; Orchestra; Girls' Club; Friday Sing
A wee little girl with a heart of gold.



WHITE, KENNETH
Friday Sing; Cheer Leader
"Come on, kids! Yell!"



WILLIAMS, DOROTHY
Band; Girls' Club; Y-Teens
A personality peppered with good humor.



WILLIAMS, MARTHA ANN
Pekinois; Student Council; Girls' Club;
Friday Sing; Austria Club; Tap Club;
"You Can't Take It With You"
All strictly business--monkey business.



WILLIAMS, OWEN
Movie Operator; Photography Club;
Athletic Usher; Hot Stove League; Football 1, 3; Golf 2, 3, 4; "Tom Sawyer"
"Frequently within my brain, I gently
think a thought."



WILLIAMSON, LILLIAN
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Auditorium
Usher; Y-Teens; FHA; D.E. Club
"Ask me no questions; I'll tell you no lies."



WILLOUGHBY, LAQUITA
Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; "Mikado";
A Cappella Choir; Student Council; GAA;
Girls' Club; Friday Sing; Austria Club;
Athletic Usher; Auditorium Usher; Talent
Staff; Les Enfants
"Nothing is impossible -- I think."



WINEBURNER, RICHARD
A Cappella Choir; FFA; Baseball 3, 4*;
Variety Show '49.
He's like a tractor, rather slow; but when
he gets started, sput-sput.



WOLFE, BARBARA
Girls' Club; Y-Teens
Women of few words are the best women.



WOOST, NORMAN
Friday Sing; Hot Stove League; Basketball 1, 2; Football 2, 3, 4*; Track 1, 2, 3
"Don't hurry, we might get somewhere."



WRENCH, JO ANN
Majorette; GAA; Girls' Club; Friday Sing;
Tap Club; Fellowship Club; D.E. Club
Life without laughter is a dreary place.



WUBBEN, GEORGE
Boys' Club; Hot Stove League; Football
Mgr. 4*
A thoughtful, dependable chap.



YOKICH, YVONNE
Pekinois; Handcraft
A real swell gal and lots of fun;
When there's work, she gets it done.



ZIMMERMANN, BARBARA ANN
A Cappella Choir; Melody Maids; Student
Council; Girls' Club; Austria Club; "Tom
Sawyer"; "Mikado"; Auditorium Usher;
FTA; Y-Teens; Variety Show '49
Genius is one per cent inspiration and
ninety-nine per cent perspiration.

ZIMMERMAN, LOUISE EYRSE
Thespians; "Seven Sisters"; Student
Council; Girls' Club; National Honor
Society; Friday Sing; Austria Club; Talent
Staff; Les Enfants
Silence is one great art of conversation.







ANDREWS, GARY
BALCKE, DORA

BIRKMEIER, PAT
BOLDT, CHARLENE

APFEL, ROSE MARY
BARTON, NANCY

BISHOP, ARLYN
BOYD, BETTY

ARNETT, MOODENE
BATH, SALLY

BLACKABY, DALE
BREADEN, SHIRLEY

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BERES, GEORGE

BOERMAN, GERITA
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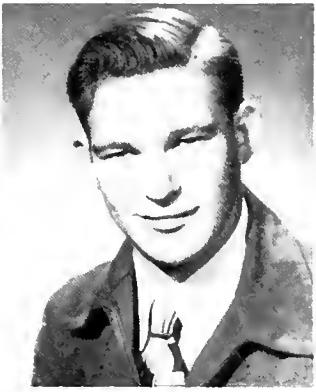
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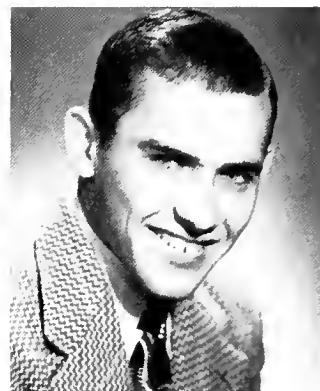
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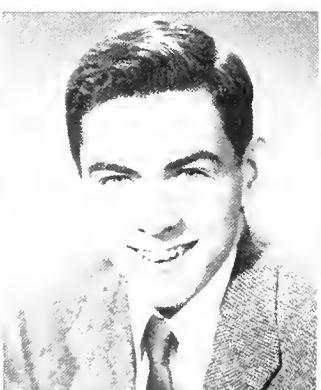
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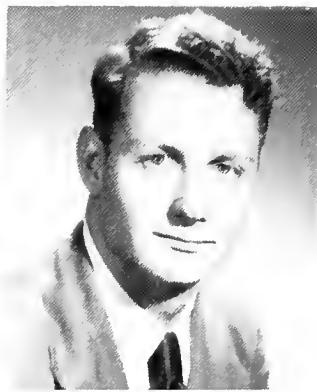
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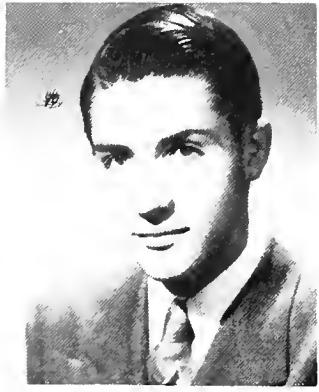
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PETERSON, JUNE
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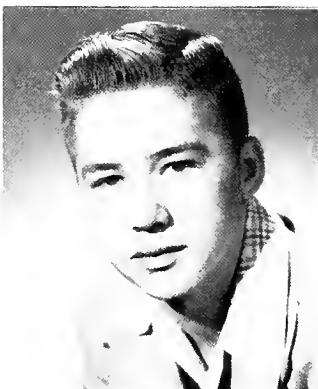
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TOEL, DARLENE





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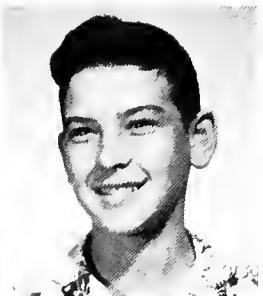
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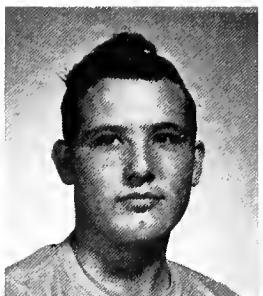
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Andrus, Kenneth
Arnold, John
Ashby, Juanita



Atwell, Darlene
Bailey, Darrel
Bair, Merle Rose
Baker, Mary Dene



Bakies, Barbara
Balcke, Sarah
Bale, David
Ball, Dale



Barbour, Eileen
Bartram, Shirley
Basco, Phyllis
Berardi, Pete



Bishop, Donna
Black, Phyllis
Bland, Melba
Boyer, Franklin



Brecher, Mary
Brown, Harold
Brown, Joanne
Camm, Alice





Caraway, Freda
Casto, Carolyn
Cather, Clyde
Christie, Jeanie



Clark, Barbara
Conway, Virginia
Cooper, Chuck
Covington, Dean

Crawford, Darlene
Crawford, Malcolm
Crooks, Betty
Currie, Bob

De Frates, Lucille
Dickson, Weldon
Di Donato, Danny
Dixon, Dean

Doan, Catherine
Donaldson, Dianne
Duez, Rosemarie
Duley, Marjorie

Dupent, Morris
Eggena, Joyce
Ehrett, Carol
Ehrich, Bob



Eitenmiller, Marlene
Evans, Dale
Fahnders, Jean
Fels, Marcella



Fischer, Darlene
Fornoff, John
Freitag, Virlene
Friedinger, Martin



Frigard, Yolanda
Garls, Barbara
Garman, Marjorie
Gebhardt, Barbara



Genda, Richard
Gerecke, Gloria
Gianessi, La Vonne
Glasford, Frances



Glass, Doyle
Goodwin, Larry
Gorsage, Shirley
Gosnell, Verna



Graumann, Agnes
Gredell, Luanna
Grendel, Robert
Gruber, George





Hackney, Franklin
Hall, Jerry
Haller, Bob
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Hamlett, Bill
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Haney, Viola
Harris, John



Harvey, Donna
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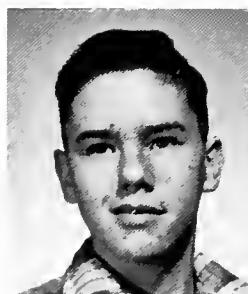


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King, Mary Lou





Kitchell, Chuck
Koch, Phyllis
Kumpf, Paul
Lacock, Roger



Landis, Junior
Larimore, Dean
Lee, Leonard
Leitner, Patricia



Leonard, Margie
Leurig, Marilyn
Lewis, Shirley
Lichtenberger, Willis



Lienhard, Charles
Lincoln, Phyllis
Lindsey, George
Logsdon, Lyle



Lohnes, Dale
Long, Walter
Madalozzo, David
Mahrt, Norma



Maile, Mona
Mc Clarence, Mary A.
Mc Cord, Bob
Mc Cowan, Marilyn





Mc Cue, Thelma
McGowan, Delbert
Mc Millan, Donna
Meahl, Arless



Mertens, Joyce
Miller, Joanne
Minoff, Mary
Mitchell, Richard



Mitts, Betty
Monroe, Betty
Morris, Richard
Morrison, Paul



Morse, Ellyn
Myers, Phyllis
Nack, John
Nash, Ronald



Newell, Gary
Oats, Emie
Oberle, Francis
O'Keefe, Jeanie



Oster, Jim
Paine, Ruth Ann
Petrie, Darolde
Pryor, Betsie





Reid, Charles
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Rodkey, Janice
Saal, John
Sabine, Sylvia
Samuelson, Veda



Sanderson, Keith
Sauder, Wayne
Scamp, Jim
Selby, Patricia



Severe, Don
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Sipka, Helen
Skaggs, Ed



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Strasser, Don
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Taylor, Richard





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Van Rosem, Richard
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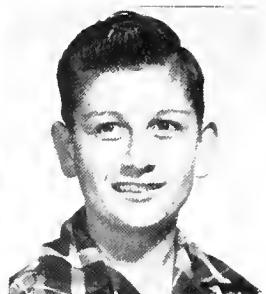


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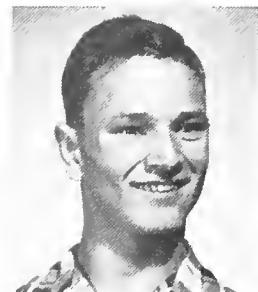
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Bauer, Ralph
Becker, Kenneth



Belt, Walter
Bernshausen, Martha
Bolluyt, Shirley
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Brady, Joan
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Brown, Betty Ann



Buchanan, Carl
Bush, Donna
Callaway, Gary
Cantrall, David



Cassidy, Mary
Chambers, James
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De Board, Gwen
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Dickson, Dolores
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Donahue, Sara Ann
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Dowling, Patricia
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Eudaily, Barbara



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Freeman, Lloyd



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Maneno, Joann



Marten, Nancy
Meints, William
Miller, Arda
Monge, Emil



Montgomery, Dean
Moorhouse, Elizabeth
Morrow, Barbara
Morsch, Bill



Morse, Ann
Myers, Kathryn
Nash, Carol
Nau, Franklin



Nelson, Bruce
Nelson, Robert
Newell, Phyllis
Nimmo, Holly



Null, Richard
Oats, Shirley Mae
O'Keefe, Jerry
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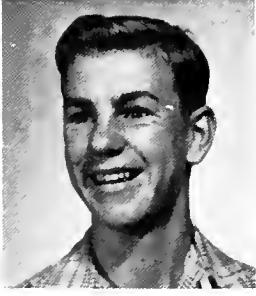
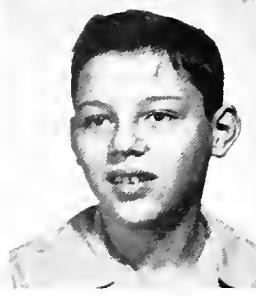
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Roman, Elizabeth
Roos, Joanne



Rowan, Ronnie
Runyon, Kenneth
Sams, Richard
Sanders, Wayne





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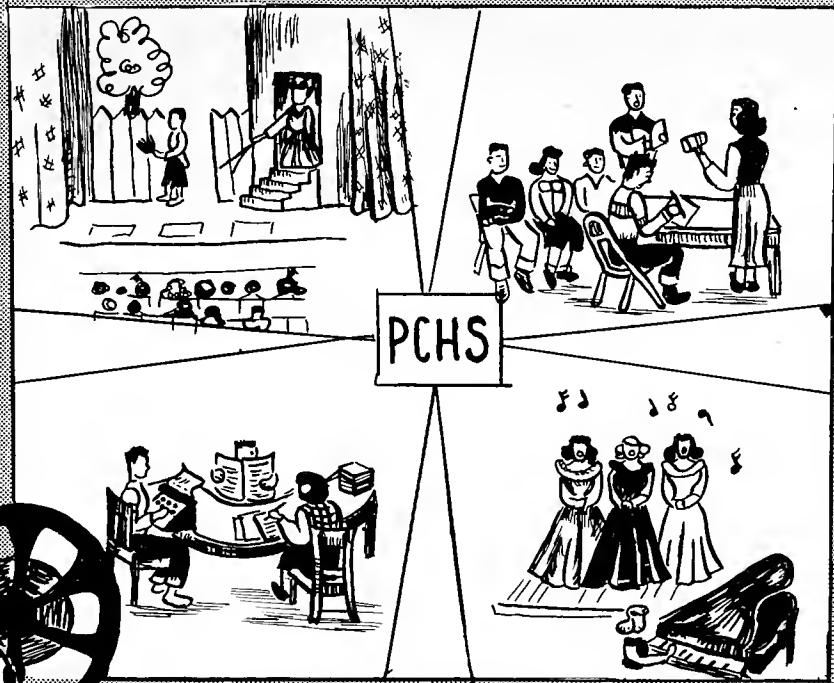


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ACTIVITIES



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STUDENT COUNCIL

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INDUCTION CEREMONY

GREATER PEORIA HIGH SCHOOL COUNCIL

In 1949 a new project was started by the Advisory Committee of the Student Council. The Greater Peoria High School Council was formed on September 20, when representatives from Peoria Central, Manual, Woodruff, East Peoria, and Pekin high schools met in the Social Room.

It is the hope of the group that they can help to create a friendly feeling among the schools of the Peoria area through the solution of mutual problems and exchange of ideas.



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Jack Carter
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Shirley Lewis
Bill Lohnes
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TALENT



Talent magazine, published annually since 1939, contains outstanding student prose and poetry.

BOARD OF EDITORS

Jane Arvedson, Colleen Cody, John Dale, Charlotte Rau.





Quill and Scroll is an international honorary society for high school journalists organized for the purpose of encouraging and rewarding individual achievement in journalism and allied fields. Front row: Joan Velde, Bill Sanders, George Beres. Back row: Linda Gray, Marianne Kreiling, Colleen Cody, Joanna Boller, Jane Arvedson, Bonnie Haller, Jeanne Rau, Charlotte Rau, Bob Currie, Jean Richmond, JoAnne Campen, Marilyn Schaff.

QUILL AND SCROLL

PEKINOIS

The school newspaper, the Pekinois, is celebrating its 25th anniversary, having been founded in 1925. The staff of the paper consists of members of Quill and Scroll who received training in the journalism class, and the cub reporters of the journalism class.

Standing: J. Penning, G. Walker, J. Ward, M. McCowan, D. McGowan, D. Donaldson, B. Lohnes, D. Harvey, S. Sabine, S. Lewis, B. White, A. Farlin, J. Bozarth, J. Ehrett, B. Sanders, L. Gray, M. Kreiling, B. Currie, C. Hoffman, D. Ball. Seated: M. Hoffman; M. Garman; N. Barton; B. Clark; J. Velde; G. Beres, editor; J. Rau; B. Hallar; M. Schaff.



BOYS' CLUB

CHINK
CHATTER
EDITORS



Bill Sanders, Jack Carter, George Beres, Bob Hecker, Barry Kautz, John Dale, Bob Gibson, Roger Sommer, Bob Hill, Ronald Trimble, and Lee Cook.

The P.C.H.S. Boys' Club is a service group open to any junior or senior boy who can meet the school's eligibility requirements. The club is interested in service to its school and community. Some of its projects are the weekly bulletin "Chink Chatter", Christmas baskets, and direct wire broadcasts of out-of-town basketball games.

Front row: J. Jones, D. Tindall, B. Hecker, N. Warner, J. Hodgson, B. Hill, C. Wubben. Row 2: J. Fahnders, L. Plotner, T. Keller, R. Heim, B. Gibson, B. Sanders, R. Trimble, B. Haller, K. Smith. Row 3: N. Faux, J. Carter, B. Kautz, D. Quevy, J. Seward, J. Lindquist, L. Cook, G. Wubben, K. Schermer. Row 4: J. Dale, S. Leifheit, J. Brecher, P. Porch, R. Sommer, G. Beres, D. Guile, R. Behrends, R. Guengerich, G. Kinder.





FIFTEENTH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET

KAFFEE KLATSCH COMMITTEE



Shirley Lewis, Diane Soldwedel, Jean Richmond, Alice Camm.

GIRLS' CLUB

The Girls' Club is a service organization with membership open to any P.C.H.S. girl. Through the year such school activities as faculty teas, matinee dances, May Day for seniors, distribution of Christmas holly, and senior farewell ceremony are conducted, as well as community and foreign projects.



GIRLS' CLUB COUNCIL

Front row:
Dianne Donaldson
Marilyn Volk
Ruth Kumpf
Jean Richmond
Jeanie DeBoer
Diane Soldwedel
Shirley Lewis
Judy Leitner
Row 2:
Joyce Noard
Mary Jane Brecher
Ada Mae Renfer
Sara Donahue
Sara Balcke
Joanne Stoll
Lois Van Buren

Y-TEEN COUNCIL

Front Row: J. Peterson, E. Hild, N. McCord, L. Brecher, B. Zimmennan, B. Romans. Row 2: M. Hiescheidt, N. Holliday, G. Gerecke, E. Moorhouse, L. DeBoer, J. Drake B. Frings. Row 3: B. Hoover, P. Tyler, M. D. Baker, B. Thomas, J. Williams. P. Harlan, J. Stoll, D. Williams.



Y-Teens are members of the Y.W.C.A. endorsing the same purpose — to improve as a person, as a citizen, and as a Christian. Y-Teen Inter-Club Council establishes club policies. Members, officers, and advisers each have a share in planning Y-

Teen activities: Mother-Daughter Banquet, Gypsy Patteran, Co-ed parties, discussion groups, and the concessions necessary to finance these activities . . . in so doing utilize the method of democratic procedures in club work.



WELCOME HOME, MISS STUCKI!

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Y-TEENS



Front row: Miss Lockett, D. Mann, J. Morris, B. Westphal, P. Griffin, P. Gorsage, G. Hammond, M. Kohlbacher, L. Schaller, J. Everhardt, P. Lohmann, M. E. Stropes. Row 2: L. Johnson, L. Van Buren, B. Horst, D.P. Smith, P. Boles, G. Carl, N. Preston, P. McCabe, P. Heitzman, E. Viviano. Row 3: N. Bozanos, J. Hallowell, C. Bishop, J. Cordts, S. Conzelman, N. Wright, R. Graening, D. Romans, P. Stranz, M.M. Shirley, A. Fischer. Row 4: G. Leach, J. Meyer, K. Oberle, R. Velde, F. Soldwedel, J. Waldbeser, R. Vetter, S. Leonard, F. Meyer, F. Clark, J. Carter.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Front row: W. Zimmerman, B. Zimmerman, B. Hoover, M. Kessler, P. Simpson, C. Rau, M. Dearth. Row 2: Miss Hulse, J. White, S. Gorsage, D. James, M. Basco, P. Basco, J. Boller, Miss Diers. Row 3: J. Ashby, R. Adams, B. Gebhardt, M. Garman, J. Rust, N. McCord, C. Hoffman, V. Plotner, B. Vehlow, A. Zeeck.





Front Row: D. Frampton, V. Samuelson, J. Bayles, J. Noard, H. Crawford, M. Blair, M. Worlow, L. Carr. Row 2: Miss Smith, J. Yates, D. Breaden, A. Bowen, M. MacMillan, B. Garman, P. Leitner, M. E. Epkins, G. Taylor. Row 3: A. M. Ritchie, D. Andrae, J. Johnson, B. Schimmelpennig, M. L. Hartnett, B. Morrow, W. Harkleroad, M. Bemshausen, B. Jenkins, J. Reaktenwalt.

Front row: G. Wagler, Pres.; D. Wineburner, Treas.; R. Bailey, Reporter; G. Cunningham, Sec't.; D. Sisk, Sentinel; W. Smith, Vice-Pres. Row 2: B. Merritt, R. Phillips, F. Hackney, P. Musgrave, K. Karnes, G. Froehlich, E. Lohnes, D. Bailey. Row 3: N. Mansini, D. Herchenroder, B. Goetze, F. Oberle, J. Beck, F. Kalhammer, J. Crawford. Row 4: L. Jibbens, W. Sauder, R. Bauer, C. Kitchell, D. Nolte, C. Lauss. Row 5: F. Boyer, B. Wiker, D. Schleder, D. Lohnes, R. Hodgson, J. Saal, R. Hurst, G. Thacker, Mr. Dowell.



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Front row: R. Taylor, P. Oberle, D. Ade, D. DiDonato, P. Weghorst, R. Lacock, D. Ball. Row 2: G. Morgan, G. Woods, R. Jenkins, H. Lohnes, K. Martin. Row 3: O. Williams, B. Welch, D. Larimore, R. Meskimen, B. Johnson, B. Haller, E. Conway. Row 4: B. Eyrse, L. Fawer, W. Steinke, B. Jones, B. Milam, G. Gebhardt. Row 5: J. Hall, J. Ehrett, G. Berchtold, J. Montgomery, L. Puterbaugh, B. Hill, J. Rodcay, J. Kelly. Members of the Movie Operators' Club show films for the various classes of our school.

MOVIE OPERATORS

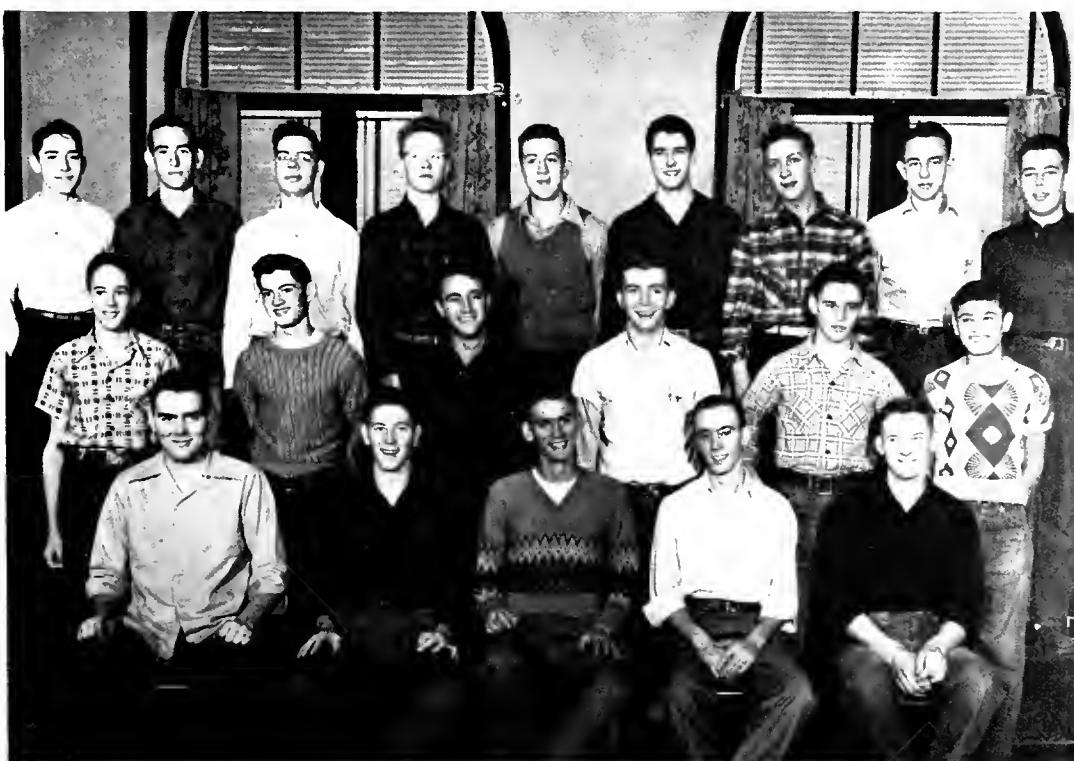


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Front row: F. Andrae, G. Fischer, L. Switzer, D. King, A. Freed. Row 2: D. Gardner, R. Smith, L. Berardi, J. Eicher, R. Euteneuer, L. Morsch. Row 3: E. Laumeier, R. Whel, R. Peaslee, P. Schramm, K. Robinson, R. Terrill, J. Meads, J. Butler, L. Goodwin.



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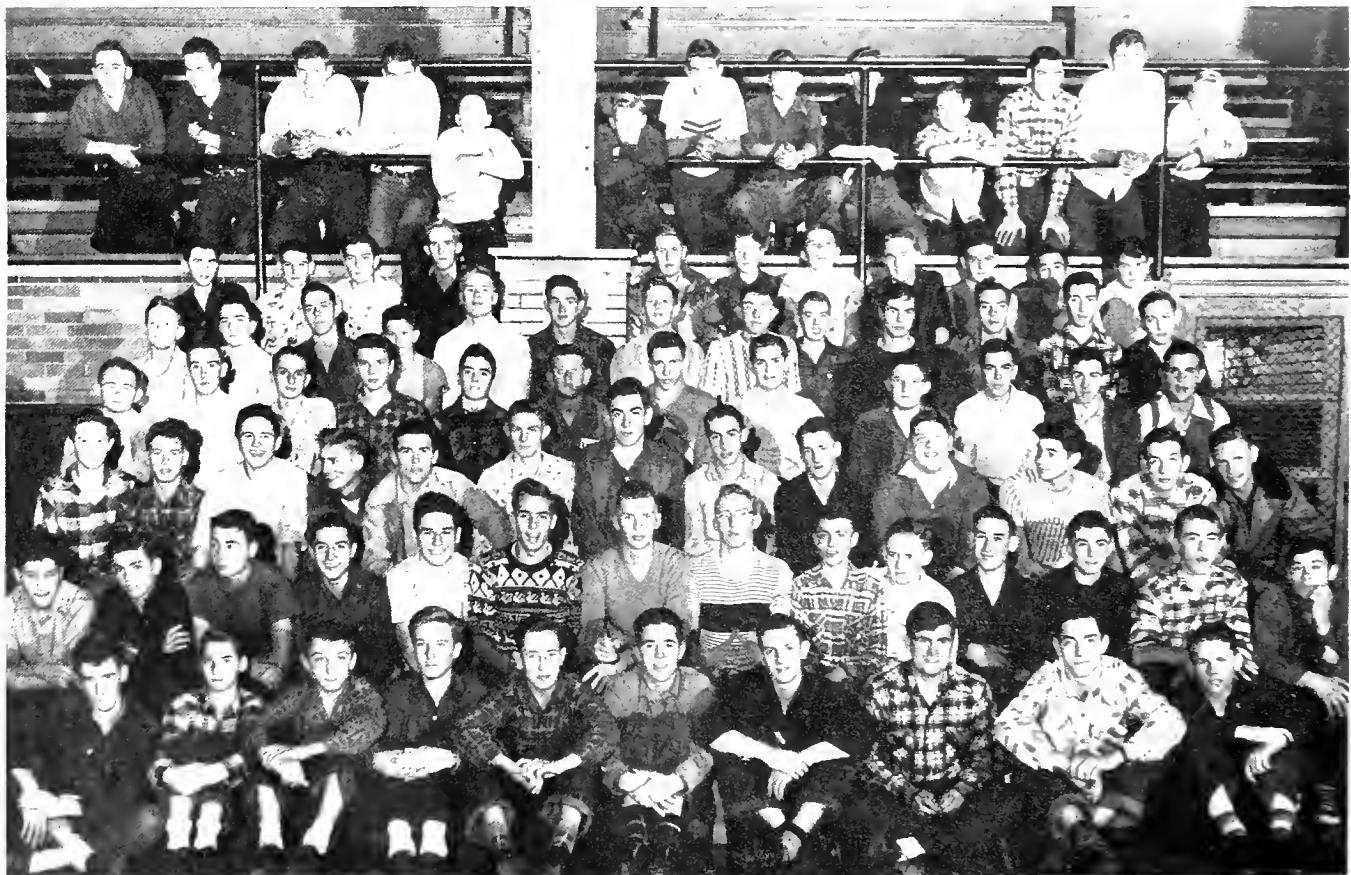


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LETTERMEN'S CLUB

HOT STOVE LEAGUE

The general function of the Hot Stove League is the discussion of sports.





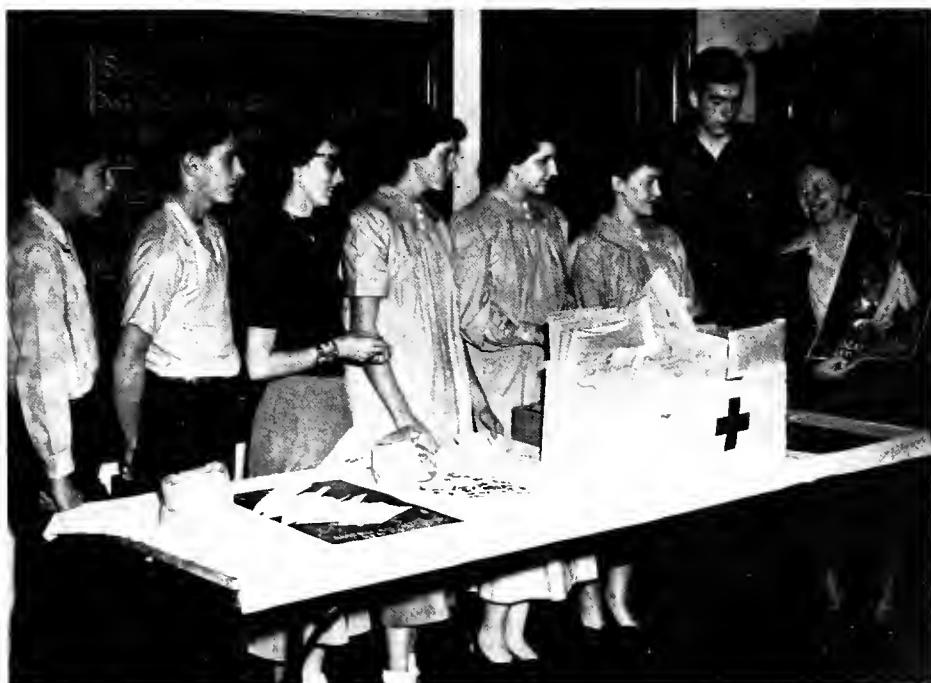
AUSTRIA "56"



HILDEGARDE WILHELM
A teacher from
"our" Vienna school

Front row: A. Camm, S. McCreary, B. Morsch, R. Strickfaden, A. Miller, M. Oberle. Row 2: R. Adams, A. Morse, S. Bartram, M. Leurig, N. James, D. James, D. Ziebold, S. Dall, V. Tipton, M. E. Epkins, M. Dearth, A. Zeeck. Row 3: C. Hoffman, M. Bush, M. MacMillan, E. Bacon, J. Richmond, M. Kessler, R. Morley, J. Noard, J. Bayles, S. Reardon, D. Keen, J. Leitner, B. Jansen, J. Secrist, M. Minoff, P. Selby, B. M. White, L. Gredell, B. Garls. Row 4: D. Chitwood, B. Nelson, W. Gay, B. McCord, C. Dickson, G. Beres, E. Holt, R. Bonarito, B. Currie, J. Dickerson, B. Mangos, J. Gorsage, J. Chambers, B. Hoffert, D. Kenney, L. Feaster.

The Austria club is composed of students who are interested in our adopted Austria school, Bundes-Lehrerbildungsanstalt, in Vienna, Austria. These students write to pen pals and send boxes of food and clothing.



STUDENT COUNCIL J.R.C. COMMITTEE

Jim Ganson
Bob McCord
Sondra Matthew
Diane Soldwedel
Mildred Leischiedt
Marilyn Holl and
John Lindquist
Miss Fisher



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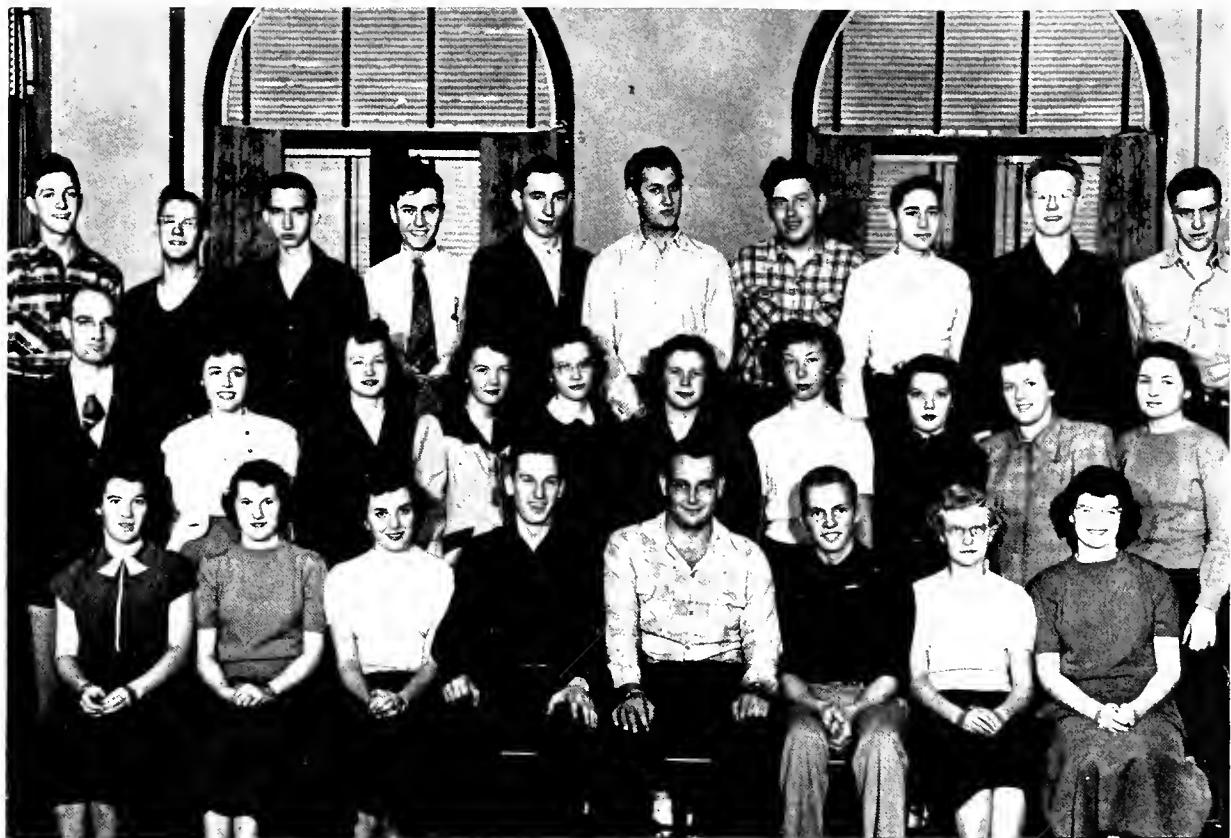
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TAP CLUB

Tap Club membership includes all girls who want to take part in the tap routines in the annual Spring Frolic. No previous training is required in order to become a member -- only a pair of tap shoes plus a desire to learn are necessary.



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Front row: J. Wrench, M. Reed, M. A. Underwood, E. Starcevich, L. Grandia, B. Goss, J. Terrill, E. Martin. Row 2: Mr. Mitts, D. Schappaugh, L. Williamson, M. Christie, J. Simpson, F. Freeman, E. Voight, V. Walbert, R. Barnes, B. Tillman. Row 3: J. Meads, B. Crum, B. Drury, F. Meyer, L. Hall, P. Simpson, J. Kelly, E. Laumeier, P. Schramm, D. Riviere.

Seated: W. Hancock, J. Campen, G. Fischer. Standing: P. Potts, M. Hundt, A. Horton, M. Fornoff, B. Fearey, J. Gosnell, I. Shemmer, D. Purdy, E. Baker, G. McCue, E. Ertmoed, M. Lane, N. Petska, J. Campen, M. Cakora, M. Hailey, M. Cook, S. Bailey, M. Hyatt, D. McMullen, D. Mertens, B. Hoover, M. Thees.



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SCHOOL TREASURERS

Mary Lou Brosmer
Bernadine Hoover
Mr. Norris Mitts

Bob Goss and Pete Simpson, keepers of the Dragons' Den, the most popular spot in the Cafeteria Annex after lunch and after school.



Mary Ellen Stropes, 1949 Pekinian editor, hands the Pekinian load to her successor, Ron Trimble.



Lee Cook, Sara Zimmerman, Jack Carter, Joan Velde, Bill Sanders, John Dale, Jerold Bozarth, Diane Soldwedel.

DEBATE

NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE

The Pekin Chapter of the National Forensic League, the oldest in the state of Illinois, is composed of students who have participated in some phase of public speaking.

Standing: Bill Sanders. Seated: Marge Kessler, John Dale, Colleen Cody, Lee Cook, George Beres, Jean Richmond, Sara Zimmerman, Jerold Bozarth, Diane Soldwedel, Joan Velde, Roger Heim, Carolyn Hoffman, Bob Gibson.



LES ENFANTS



Front row: (Neophytes) B. Ward, D. McMillan, B. Clark, S. Bartram, D. Donaldson, P. Shannabarger, D. Sandrock, J. Eyestone, W. Sanders, J. Sommers, C. Arnett, J. Golianis. Row 2: S. Balcke, M. A. Clarence, M. Garman, A. Camm, M. Crawford, L. Giannesi, D. Genda, E. Oats. Row 3: D. Summers, S. Lewis, P. Francois, B. McCord, B. Mitts, L. Lee, S. Gorsage, M. Hoffman, S. Sabine, J. Hall, D. McGowan. Les Enfants is a club organized for the purpose of teaching the fundamentals of drama and make-up to freshmen and sophomores.

Front Row: Colleen Cody; LaQuita Willoughby; Marge Kessler; Jean Richmond; Louise Gebhardt; Carolyn Hoffman; Marilyn Holland. Row 2: Mr. Marston, Director; Barry Kautz; Paul Porch; Bill Haller; Spencer Leifeit. Row 3: John Dale; Bob Gibson; Ramon Behrends; Roger Sommer; Jim Brecher.

THESPIANS





Grandpa (Paul Porch) relaxes with his pipe and dart gun.



A typical evening in the Sycamore home is interrupted by the aristocratic Kirby family.

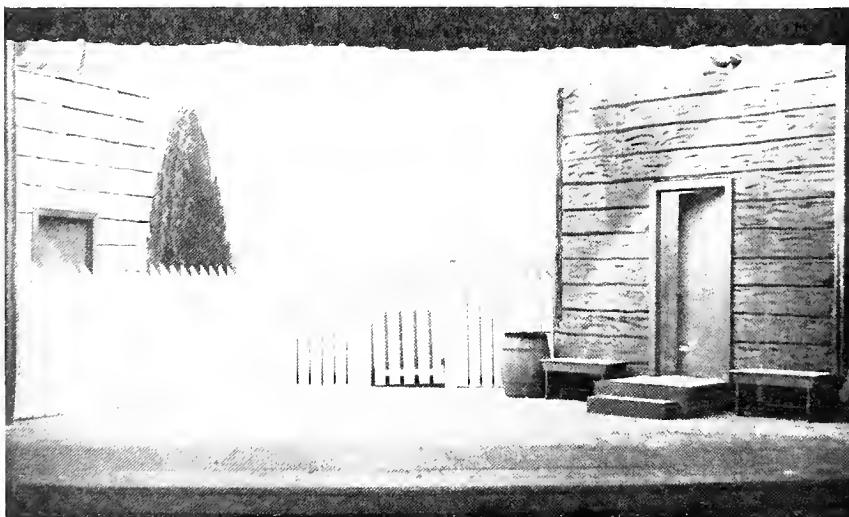
"YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU"

Front Row: Virginia Rose, Don Guile, Ted Frigard, Ed Gilmore, Kenny Rockhold. Row 2: Paul Porch, Bob Hecker, Jane Arvedson, Joyce Cordts, Bill Mangos, Mary Heiken, Irene Deros. Row 3: Raymond Behrends, Carolyn Hoffman, Jean Richmond, Joanna Boller, Bob Gibson, Bill Bollegar, Nelson Warner, Mr. Marston.





Front row: E. Moorhouse, A. M. Renfer, J. Crawford, J. Penning, D. Kline, L. Gianessi, M. Crawford, S. Donahue, T. Prickett, A. Eichelberger, S. Bartram, B. Nelson, B. Mitts, R. Strickfaden, H. Nimmo. Row 2: C. Widby, R. Barressi, M. Holland, R. Behrends, D. Donaldson, P. Shannabarger, J. Richmond, E. Bacon, N. Faux, J. Fahnders, J. Velde, G. Maltby, C. Hoffinan. Row 3: Mr. Marston, T. Frigard, B. Haller, J. Hodgson, P. Allen, J. Brecher, B. Beres, J. Carter, B. Haller, L. Fulk, B. Hill, B. Zimmerman, B. Penninger.



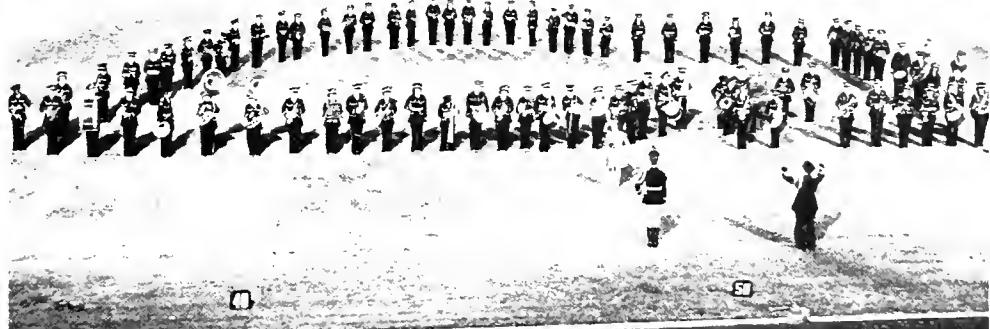
"TOM SAWYER"

Jean Richmond as Aunt Polly
Malcolm Crawford as Tom Sawyer





BAND



ORCHESTRA

Front row: D. Schemmer, S. Leifheit, L. Gray, D. McMillan, L. Gredell, B. Hoffert, A. Seegar, M. A. Taylor, J. Hall, B. Prickett. Row 2: M. Bernshausen, M. Huber, J. Sommers, J. Dale, D. Schermer, B. Johnson, D. Hobson, L. Dagit, J. Andrae, T. Prickett, J. Albrecht, R. Morley, E. Beck. Row 3: Mr. Costa, Director; J. Drake; J. Hurley; F. Nau; L. Cook; J. Wallace; R. Masien.



A CAPPELLA CHOIR



Front row: C. Hoffman, M. Cunningham, J. Rau, M. Stauffer, M. Viviano, G. Grandia, M. Holland, C. Cody, L. Gebhardt, J. Staley, J. Hernan, M. Pape, J. Elliott, C. Rau, J. Miller, N. Waltmire, A. Farlin, P. Monge, Lila Schaller. Row 2: Mr. Langley, J. Richmond, B. Vehlow, W. Frampton, P. Linebaugh, D. Dagit, J. Arvedson, P. Munsen, E. Baker, A. Camm, D. Blackaby, G. Gruber, J. Goodin, D. Evans, G. Proehl, N. McCord, B. Caldwell, C. Staker, J. Noard, L. Vermillion, H. Crawford. Row 3: J. Hawk,

Lila Schaller, accompanist. Front row: Marianne Kreiling, Jane Staley, Carmen Holt, Carolyn Hoffman, Barbara Zimmerman. Row 2: Colleen Cody, Joanne Montgomery, Lois Vermillion, Marian Squier, Marilyn Holland, Louise Gebhardt, Jean Richmond.



LILA SCHALLER
Accompanist for Music Dept.

MELODY MAIDS



J. Lewis, K. Kellogg, H. Nellos, B. Penninger, J. Ehrett, J. DeBoer, G. Hild, P. Porch, D. Tegtmeier, B. Hill, D. Wineburner, T. Keller, J. Carter, B. Taubert, J. Albrecht, P. Crawford, B. Kautz, R. Kumpf, J. Montgomery, A. Benjamin, M. Busby, D. Balcke, B. Zimmerman, Row 4: M. Kreiling, B. Hallar, B. Wiley, J. Leitner, B. Jansen, N. Faux, J. Hodgson, J. Seward, B. Ling, R. Sommer, R. Behrends, R. Heim, J. Brecher, J. Fahnders, B. Haller, G. Beres, R. Peasley, R. Zell, S. Zimmerman, A. Judson, M. Liescheidt, S. Matthew, J. Bayles, E. Hild, J. Stoll.

DANCE BAND

Front row: Lee Cook, leader; Sondra Matthew; Pete Simpson; Noel Faux; Shirley Leifheit; Ruth Morley. Row 2: Jo Anne Campen; Tommy Prickett; Ronald Guengerich; Spencer Leifheit; Jack Albrecht; Pierre Francois. Row 3: Ada Mae Renfier; Joyce Ehrett; Jim Beebe; Roger Heim; Edward Beck; Bill Prickett.



BOYS' QUARTET

Jim Brecher
Leroy Fulk
Joe Seward
Bob Hill





Front row: R. Velde, M. Kohlbacher, M. E. Stropes, E. Lami, J. Ozella, S. Conzelman. Row 2: K. Oberle, J. Lutz, F. Fogliano, P. Gorsage, H. Elliott, K. Clayton, J. L. Beach. Row 3: D. Smith, M. Delaval, J. Meyer, K. Lutz, P. Lohmann, J. Everhardt, B. Rehwaldt. Row 4: B. Hammann; B. Remmey; H. Gredell; R. Graening; W. Johnson; D. Leurig; S. Sharpe; F. Clark; J. DeBoer; Mr. Marston, director; P. Boles; E. McPherson. Row 5: C. Grimm, H. Paine, F. Soldwedel, B. Harmon.

"THE MAN WHO CAME TO DINNER"

1949 SENIOR



The great Sheridan Whiteside (Bernard Rehwaldt) seems less pleased by the music of Actor Beverley Carlton (Jerry DeBoer) and his fair accompanist, Secretary Maggie Cutler (Joyce Everhardt) than by the antics of Banjo (Frank Fogliano). Banjo's attractive bundle is Nurse Preen (Helen Elliott).

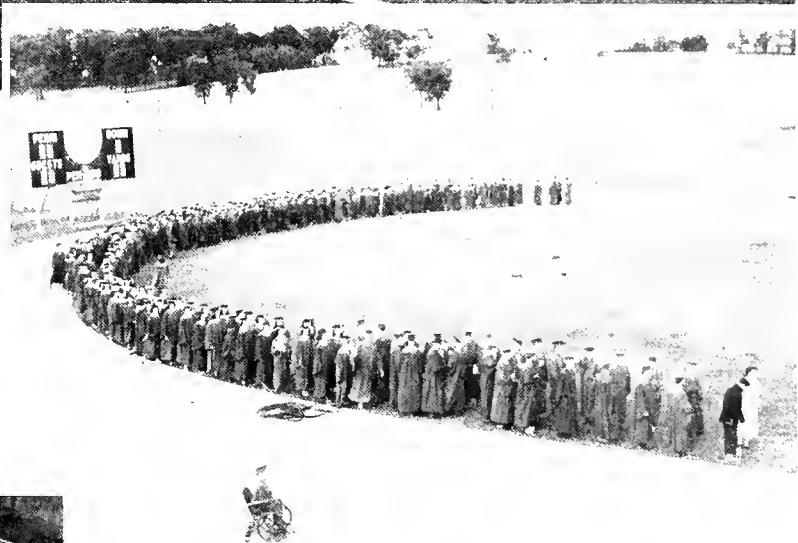




FIRST STADIUM COMMENCEMENT

ACTIVITIES

DRESS REHEARSAL



MAY DAY CORSAGES

A group of seniors wearing the May Day corsages traditionally given to senior girls by sophomore girls.



Joyce Campen and Dick Tindall, King and Queen of the 1949 Prom, with their attendants: Phyllis Griffin and Dave Skillman, King and Queen of the 1948 Prom; Joyce Ehrett, and Bonnie Vehlow.

PROM ROYALTY





PENNANT WINNERS (SHORTHAND)

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QUIZ DAY



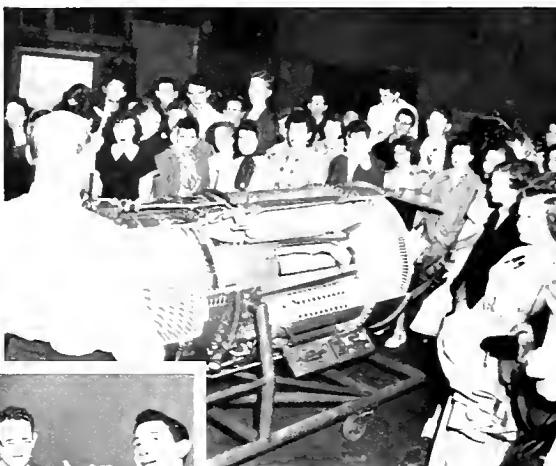
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MUSICAL (?) INTERLUDE



THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE



"BEST
WISHES TO "







SPORTS



FOOTBALL

1949 RECORD

Pekin	28	Carlinville	0
Pekin	19	East Peoria	0
Pekin	6	Canton	6
Pekin	12	Lincoln	7
Pekin	0	Manual	7
Pekin	14	Streator	0
Pekin	17	Central	7
Pekin	6	Spalding	26
Pekin	33	Bloomington	0
Pekin	13	Woodruff	14

The young 1949 edition of the gridiron Chinks amassed a total of 148 points compared to 67 for their ten opponents as they made Memorial Stadium's second season a second successful one, capturing six wins against three losses and one tie.

Carlinville's Cavaliers were no match for the well balanced Mandarins in the season's opener. The Chinks administered their second straight whitewashing a week later at East Peoria. The Chinks retained the plowshare in their next outing, but were a little disappointing as they tied Canton.

The undefeated streak advanced to four against Lincoln even though the Railsplitters became the second team to cross the Celestial goal line. The stage was then set for the big game of the season against Manual's conference champions. Before a capacity crowd at Peoria Stadium, Pekin failed to score for the only time of the season, losing a possible tie on a disputed play.

The Mandarins, with sophomores seeing plenty of action, returned to the victory trail by nipping Streator's Bulldogs in a rain-soaked encounter. Homecoming and the alumni queen, Ilene Ozella, spirited Pekin on to its fifth win, topping Central, 17-7.

The big sore spot of the season came at the hands of the Spalding Irish who broke another Peoria Stadium game wide open with three last quarter touchdowns to break a 6-6 tie and give Pekin its only "clear cut" loss of the season. The Chinks then bounced back with a vengeance to wallop Bloomington by five touchdowns.

The final game of the season upset the sports experts, as an unheralded Woodruff squeezed past a tired group of Chinks, 14-13.

VARSITY SQUAD



Front row: N. Woost, A. Oberle, B. Dixon, J. Albrecht, J. Seward, R. Heim, N. Warner, D. Tindall, R. Lower, J. Mingori, J. Brady. Row 2: J. Carrington, C. Nichols, G. Froehlich, J. Longden, J. Hurley, D. Thome, B. Taylor, O. Tharp, K. Schermer, G. Andrews, B. Rudolph, G. Kinder. Row 3: E. Gilmore, E. Skaggs, G. Phillips, P. Berardi, L. Walker, B. Ling, B. Ehrlich, J. Henry, D. Glass, L. Yentes. Row 4: D. Heihs, G. Newell, A. Dicerto, B. Steinbom, C. Frazier, J. Herget, M. Crawford.

SENIOR LETTER MEN



JACK ALBRECHT-TACKLE



ROGER HEIM-CENTER



JIM BRADY-BACK



BILL DIXON-CENTER



DICK TINDALL-TACKLE

SENIOR LETTER MEN



NORMAN WOOST-BACK



NELSON WARNER-GUARD



ART OBERLE-END



JOE SEWARD-END



JOHN MINGORI-GUARD



DICK LOWER-BACK

FROSH-SOPH RECORD

Pekin	47	East Peoria	6
Pekin	40	Lincoln	0
Pekin	50	Canton	0
Pekin	13	Manual	6
Pekin	33	Central	13
Pekin	47	Woodruff	6
Pekin	25	Chillicothe	6
Pekin	54	Spalding	0



Front row: R. Lee, L. Colson, L. Feaster. Row 2: N. Hill, E. Monge, B. Nelson, B. Zielinski, G. Simpson, P. Allen, L. Freeman. Row 3: L. Smith, D. Kline, R. Look, F. Nau, G. Fulk, K. Becker, L. Sarff, B. Savage.

FRESHMAN SQUAD

SOPHOMORE SQUAD

Front row: B. Meskimen, L. Conover, E. Skaggs, E. Sommers, J. Henry, P. Berardi, B. Ehrich, L. Walker, L. Holmes, G. Phillips, D. Glass, J. Herget, P. Crawford. Row 2: D. Heils, M. Friedinger, J. Williams, R. Alexander, D. Severe, B. Ward, J. Hall, G. Gruber, P. Morrison, T. Teeter, J. Lienhard, J. Nack, G. Newell, D. Lee, B. McCord, J. Oster, B. Martin.



BASKETBALL

1949-'50 RECORD

Pekin	59	Kewanee	37
Pekin	52	Woodruff	43
Pekin	41	East Aurora	36
Pekin	41	Mattoon	36
Pekin	44	East Peoria	42
Pekin	41	Carrollton	36

CHRISTMAS TOURNEY (at Pekin)

Pekin	39	Bloomington	36
Pekin	47	Rock Island	44

EAST ST. LOUIS TOURNEY

Pekin	46	Taylorville	44
Pekin	43	East St. Louis	50
Pekin	50	Streator	54
Pekin	47	Central	39
Pekin	59	Decatur	58
Pekin	30	Bloomington	50
Pekin	54	Manual	51
Pekin	35	Lincoln	47
Pekin	41	Canton	47
Pekin	48	Galesburg	51
Pekin	56	Streator	43
Pekin	41	Manual	48

Pekin	54	Danville	66
Pekin	38	Central	33
Pekin	41	Spalding	66
Pekin	36	Lincoln	39

PEKIN REGIONAL

Pekin	54	Deer Creek-Mackinaw	41
Pekin	39	Morton	57

After a forecast of a none-too-bright season because of lack of experience, the Chinks, with only two returning lettermen, Harry Pollman and Bob Rudolph, started the season with a bang, taking nine straight victories before tasting defeat at the hands of East St. Louis.

Highlights of the season came when the Mandarins downed Rock Island to win their own Christmas Tournament, and later in the season when they unexpectedly stopped the highly-rated Decatur Reds, 59-58, in the season's most thrilling game. Pekin ended its regular season with a 14-10 record.

In the second regional game following an easy 54-41 victory over Deer Creek - Mackinaw, a determined, aggressive Morton five ended Pekin's basketball season by the score of 57-39. Coach Jim Lewis' liberal use of sophomores gave hopes of future visits to Champaign and the state tourney, as the sophs more than once saved the day for PCHS.



Front row: J. Herget, B. McCord, G. Kinder. Row 2: B. Ling, H. Pollman, K. Smith, J. Lindquist, O. Tharp, J. Henry, D. Heihs. Row 3: G. Phillips, P. Berardi, G. Lunini, G. Andrews, K. Schemer, J. Stout, D. Glass, B. Rudolph.



HARRY POLLMAN



JIM HENRY



JOHN LINDQUIST

LETTER MEN



OSCAR THARP



KEN SMITH



GLEN PHILLIPS

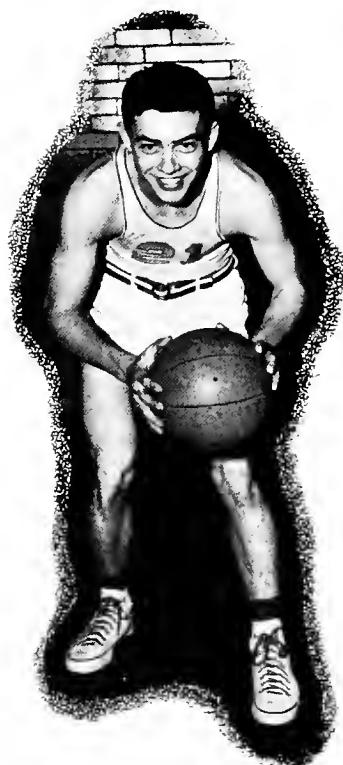
LETTER MEN



BOB McCORD



DOYLE GLASS



DICK HEIHS



GARRY KINDER



BOB RUDOLPH



Front row: Mgr. J. Scamp, L. Conover, G. Newell, L. Sullivan, D. Lee, Mgr. J. Lienhard. Back row: C. Lienhard, K. Klagg, K. Karnes, T. Trumpy, D. Summers, H. Brown, J. Nack, Coach John Moss.

SOPHOMORE SQUAD

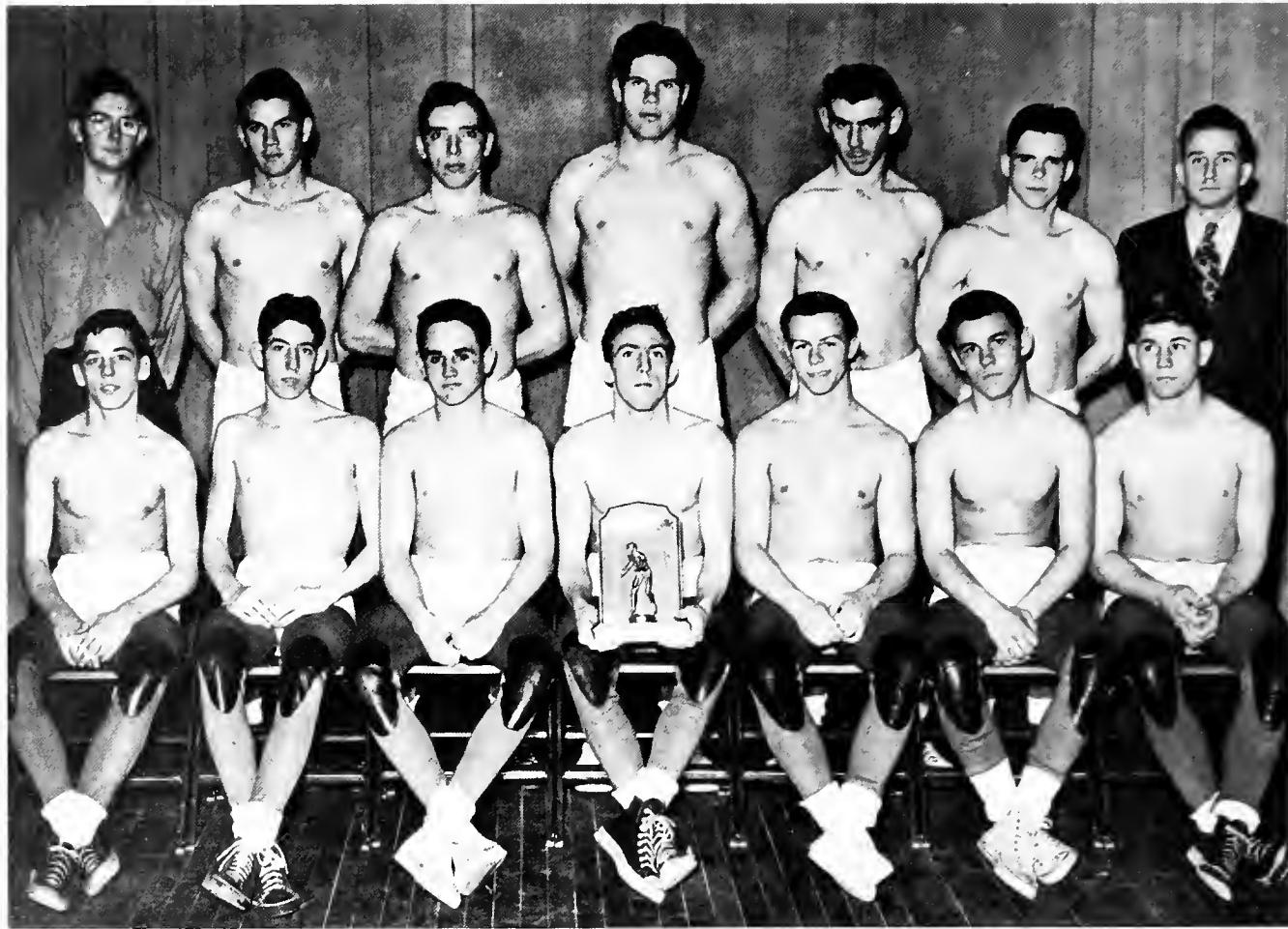
1949-'50 FROSH-SOPH RECORD

Pekin	35	Kewanee	33
Pekin	41	Woodruff	26
Pekin	38	Mattoon	35
Pekin	28	Canton	48
Pekin	45	Streator	30
Pekin	45	Central	32
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Pekin	48	East Peoria	35

MANAGERS

Front row: George Wubben, Jimmy Lee, Jim Scamp. Row 2: Bill Scheeler, Tom Shirley, John Andrae. Although pictured here with football gear, they continued to "manage" the cagers.





VARSITY SQUAD Seated: B. Strode, R. Shelton, M. Beasley, C. Wubben, R. Sandrock, N. Hoffman, C. Baker. Standing: Mgr. P. Campbell, B. E. Taylor, R. Bailey, B. H. Taylor, J. Hurley, D. Smith, Coach Jim Custer.

Pekin	24	Urbana	12	BIG 12 - Pekin first
Pekin	44	Manual	0	SECTIONAL - Pekin third
Pekin	19	Champaign	17	STATE - Pekin fourth
Pekin	13	Moline	21	
Pekin	37	Woodruff	3	
Pekin	17	Tilden Tech	17	
Pekin	22	Urbana	11	
Pekin	35	Danville	3	CRAIG WUBBEN (120)
Pekin	31	Woodruff	3	Big 12 Champ
Pekin	16	Rock Island	18	Sectional Champ
Pekin	36	Manual	0	State Champ (Second
Pekin	26	Champaign	12	consecutive year)

WRESTLING

CRAIG WUBBEN (120)
 Big 12 Champ
 Sectional Champ
 State Champ (Second
 consecutive year)

Pekin High's wrestlers climaxed one of their biggest years by capturing a tie for fourth place in the state tourney at Proviso. Coach Jim Custer's wrestlers were the power of the Big 12 Conference, taking the title from Champaign in the first tourney ever held in the Celestial City. They compiled a regular season record of ten wins (including two over Champaign, perennial Big 12 leaders) against two defeats, both inflicted by two of the state's top five teams, and oddly enough, both on the home mats. The '49 schedule provided a number of intersectional matches, the top match occurring in Chicago as the Chinks deadlocked mighty Tilden Tech in its own back yard.

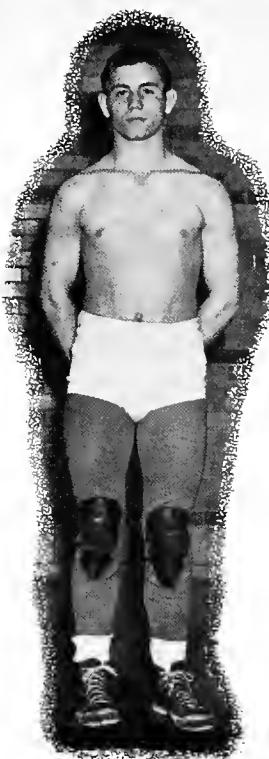




RONNIE SHELTON (112)
Big 12 Champ



ROLAND BAILEY (165)
Big 12 Champ (Second
consecutive year)
Team Captain



CHARLIE BAKER (138)
Big 12 Champ



BOB TAYLOR (Hwt.)
Big 12 Champ
Sectional Champ
Second in State Meet

THE "B" SQUAD

Kneeling: P. Shannabarger, D. Strickfaden, G. Thacker, D. Hauser, K. Sharp, D. Sandrock. Standing: D. Gianessi, B. Meskimen, C. Lauss, J. Carrington, G. Gruber, D. Williamson.





Front row: B. Funk, D. Heihs, J. Davis, J. King, P. Gambetti, G. Kinder, D. Slabaugh. Back row: Coach Harry Anderson, B. Watson, K. Schermer, P. Berardi, T. Trumpy, G. Phillips, J. Rockhold, A. Meahls.

1949 RECORD

Pekin	13	Canton	1
Pekin	3	Woodruff	1
Pekin	5	Streator	2
Pekin	3	Central	2
Pekin	9	Spalding	1
Pekin	11	East Peoria	6
Pekin	12	Galesburg	6
Pekin	15	Galesburg	5
Pekin	12	Kewanee	9
Pekin	4	Bloomington	5
Pekin	12	Spalding	2
Pekin	8	Central	5
Pekin	3	Manual	4
Pekin	6	Barrington	1
Pekin	7	Morton	5
Pekin	4	Bloomington	1
Pekin	10	East Peoria	4
Pekin	4	Canton	3
Pekin	1	Manual	9

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

Pekin	7	Mackinaw	3
Pekin	23	Morton	5
Pekin	15	Tremont	0
Pekin	11	Lewiston	6

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

Pekin	5	University High,	
		Bloomington	6
Pekin	6	Barrington	3
Pekin	8	Woodruff	3

Coach Harry Anderson guided the Pekin Chinks to 22 victories against only four losses in his second season at the diamond helm.

After racking up wins in their first nine games, the Chinks dropped their first in a squeaker to Bloomington, 4-5. The other three defeats came at the hands of the class of Central Illinois, the Manual Rams, twice, and to U. High in the first game of the sectional.

Top hitter for the diamond Chinks was freshman shortstop, Dick Heihs, with a .400 average. Leading the Celestial flingers was Pete Gambetti, who won seven and lost none.



DUAL MEETS

Pekin	83	E. Peoria	30
Pekin	58	Canton	55
Pekin	48	Central	65
Pekin	50	Manual	63
Pekin	42	Woodruff	71

TRIANGULAR MEET

Pekin	67
Springfield	60
Lincoln	13

ILLINI CONFERENCE MEET

Woodruff	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	Galesburg	16
Manual	39	East Peoria	16
Pekin	33	Kewanee	15 $\frac{1}{2}$
Canton	33		

BIG TWELVE MEET (at Pekin)

Decatur	34	Central	13 $\frac{3}{4}$
Danville	28 $\frac{1}{4}$	Champaign	10 $\frac{1}{4}$
Urbana	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	Springfield	8
Manual	26	Streator	6
Mattoon	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	Bloomington	2
Pekin	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	Lincoln	1

A new era in Pekin High track annals was inaugurated in 1949 as the Chink thinlies, under the leadership of Bob Wilson in his first season as Chink mentor, broke even in six meets in the first season on the cinders of Memorial Stadium. Highlights of the season were the qualifying of distance runner, Bob Rudolph, and shot putter, Pete Vetter, for the state meet, and the Big 12 meet held in the stadium.

Front row: B. Fisher, B. Harmon, B. Rimmey, D. Tindall, L. Smalley, Mgr. J. Lee, W. Wheet, B. Rudolph, P. Vetter, R. Fisher, Mgr. B. Scheeler. Back row: Coach Bob Wilson, G. Newell, D. Lee, J. Herget, D. Guile, R. Terrill, B. Taylor, B. Ling, E. Skaggs, Don V. Smith, M. Friedinger.

TRACK



Queen Eleanor Lami presents Big 12 track trophy to Decatur captain.

Wheet and Smalley take first and second in 220 as Chinks defeat Springfield and Lincoln.





TENNIS

Bob Hecker, Doyle Glass, Oscar Tharp, Herb Raab, Bob Gibson, Don P. Smith,
Coach John Noss.

Given little chance to equal the records of recent Moss-coached tennis teams, the inexperienced 1949 squad nevertheless came through with a creditable dual meet record of nine victories and three losses, the latter by a total of only five points. The first two wins ran the three-season Chink string to twenty-one straight. For the seventh consecutive year the Madarin netsters won the district title.

1949 RECORD-TENNIS

Pekin	7	Central	1
Pekin	7	Lincoln	0
Pekin	3	Bloomington	4
Pekin	7	Champaign	0
Pekin	7	Woodruff	0
Pekin	6	Champaign	1
Pekin	3	Danville	4
Pekin	7	Havana	2
Pekin	5	Lincoln	2
Pekin	8	Central	1
Pekin	6	Woodruff	1
Pekin	2	Bloomington	5
Third Place,	Big 12 Meet		
First Place,	District Meet		

1949 RECORD-CROSS COUNTRY

Pekin	49	Central	15
Pekin	50	Woodruff	15
Pekin	36	Lincoln	21
Pekin	35	Galesburg	20
BIG 12 - Pekin seventh			
ILLINI - Pekin fourth			
Pekin	15	Tremont	48
Pekin	41	Canton	16
DISTRICT - Pekin fifth			

The greatest golf squad in Pekin High history was also the state runner-up in 1949, as the Chink links-men captured thirteen dual meet victories against but one loss. The golfers of Coach Jim Lewis also gained three tournament titles, climaxing their season with the finest effort of any '49 Mandarin team, dropping the state championship to Kewanee.

1949 RECORD-GOLF

Pekin	12½	Manual	2½
Pekin	11	Woodruff	4
Pekin	14½	Galesburg	½
Pekin	12	Manual	6
Pekin	10½	Central	7½
Pekin	7	Champaign	8
Pekin	11½	Danville	3½
Pekin	15	Urbana	0
Pekin	11½	Bloomington	3½
Pekin	10½	Central	4½
Pekin	12	Bloomington	3
Pekin	12½	Galesburg	2½
Pekin	12	Woodruff	0
Pekin	10	Champaign	5

ILLINI CONFERENCE

Pekin	322 (strokes)
Kewanee	326
Manual	326
Woodruff	347
Galesburg	352

BIG 12 CONFERENCE

Pekin first,	305
Champaign second,	315
DISTRICT TOURNEY	
Pekin, first,	306
Manual second,	313
STATE TOURNAMENT	
Kewanee first,	648
Pekin second,	659



GOLF

Front: E. Scodeller, P. Scodeller, L. Plotner. Back: J. Penning, C. Lienhard, G. Lunini, A. Altman, Coach Jim Lewis, B. Whitmore, B. McCord, T. Frigard.

CROSS COUNTRY

Front row: K. Towles, A. Meahl, B. Grendel, P. Selman, D. Liggett, L. Rench. Back row: D. Slabaugh, R. Stanton, R. Terrill, K. Smith, E. Lunini, R. Klein, R. Shelton, Coach Paul Dixon.





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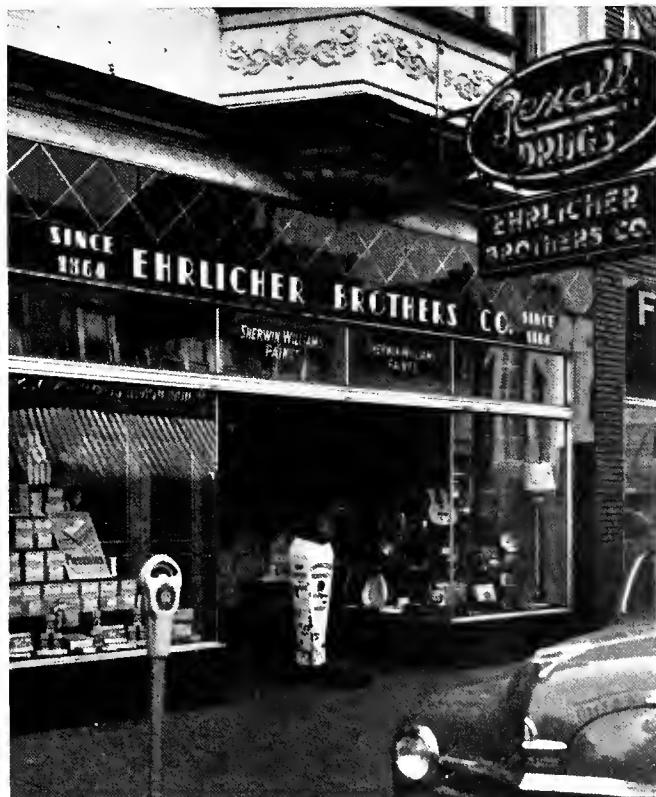


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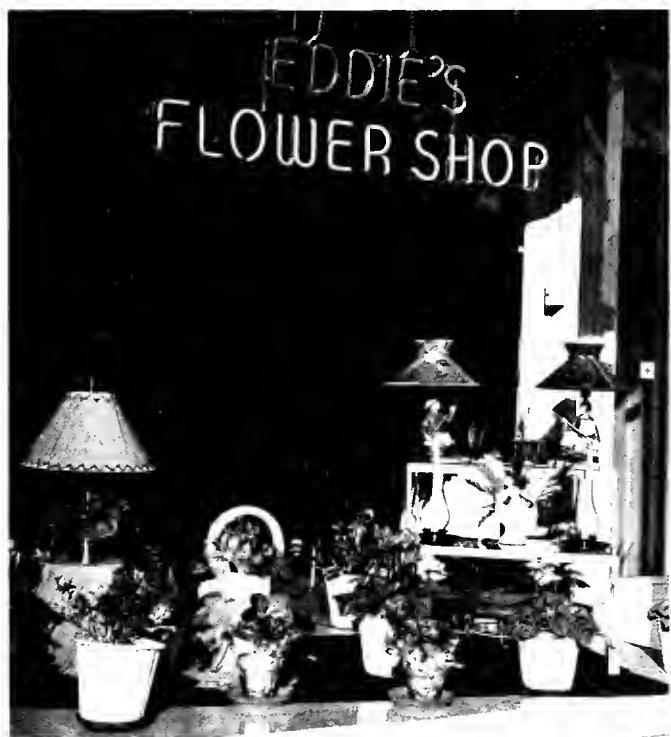


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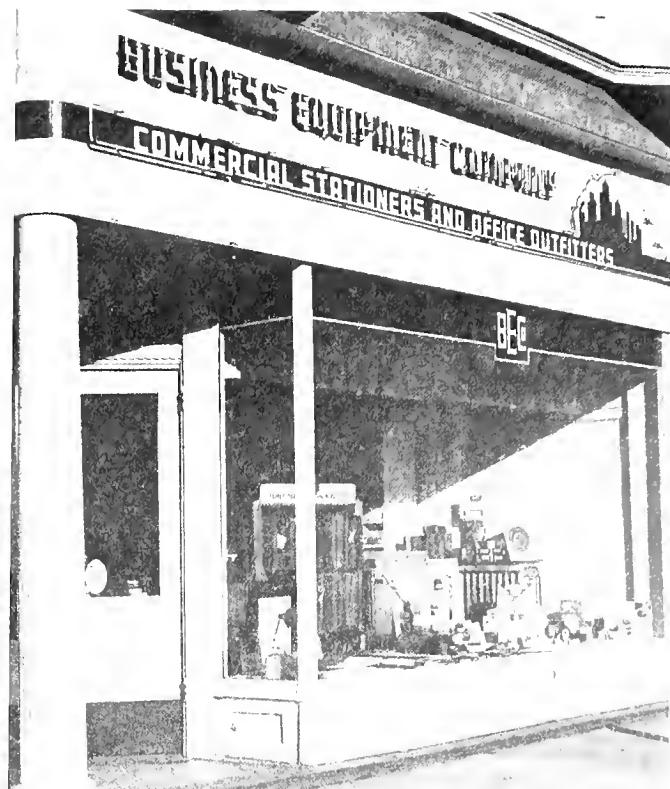


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